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May26-d&wly

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Jul15-d&wly

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Aug16-78d

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Formerly Resident Physician St John's Hospital for Invalids, Cincinnati, O., late of United States Army; Surgeon in Charge of Mississippi State Hospitals and general practitioner, Natchez, Miss. Office in Post Office Block, entrance Reading Room Stairs, Decatur, Illinois. Residence No. 40 North Main street.
Jun17-76-d&wtf

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May28-d&wtf

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Attorney at Law,

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Attorney-at-Law,

Office southeast corner of the Old Square, the office formerly occupied by S. G. Malone, Esq., over W. U. Armstrong's Drug Store.
Jun16d&wly

ELDRIDGE & HOSTETLER,
E. R. Eldridge, J. C. Hostetler.

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Office over Newell & Hammer's Grocery Store.
Jul6-d&y

A. BROWER BUNN,

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Office in Central Block, over Wingate's ... Store, Merchant street. Aug15...

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Professional calls attended at any hour during the day or night. Office at Hildebrandt's Drug Store. Aug18-77 wtf

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SPRING TRADE!

SAMPLE HATS!

A VERY LARGE LOT JUST RECEIVED,

MEN'S AND BOYS' STYLES

Which will be Sold at Retail at Manufacturers' Wholesale Prices. Call soon if you want to get the CHEAPEST HATS Ever Sold in Decatur. — We have also just received our SPRING STOCK of

BOYS' & YOUTHS'

CLOTHING

Of which we have an Endless Variety, and will sell at prices lower than have ruled SINCE THE WAR. Our Stock of

MEN'S READY-MADE CLOTHING!

Is Full and Complete, and will be SOLD at VERY LOW PRICES. A Large Stock of

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Of Every Variety and Price, ALL NEW and of the LATEST STYLES.

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GIVE US A CALL.

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March ... d&wtf

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

Macon County Circuit Court.
Dwight F. Fowler vs. Dan'l P. Elwood and Maria Elwood. Foreclosure.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December term, A. D. 1877, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on Monday, the 22d day of April, A. D. 1878, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, at the west door of the court house in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, to-wit: Lots one (1) and two (2), in block six (6), in Prather, Martin & Oakling's Addition to Decatur, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.
Decatur, Ill., March 21, 1878.
JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.
W. C. Johns, Solicitor for Complainant.
March 21-d&w4t

FINE PROPERTY

FOR SALE.

V. H. PARK,

Wishing to change locations, offers the following Real Estate for Sale:

HIS Fine Residence, No. 25 West William street, Decatur.

THE property known as the "White Property," corner North Church and West Prairie streets, Decatur.

STORE, now occupied by A. A. Murray, on North Main St., just north of the Priest House, Decatur.

40 Acres of unbroken prairie land, one mile south of Stonington, on the Decatur & East St. Louis Railroad, Christian county.

10 Acres of very fine pasture just north of the Fair Grounds, Macon county.

120 Acres of land in Adair county, Mo., seven miles north of Kirkwood and one mile from Summit Station on the North Missouri Railroad.

He will sell all or any part of the above property at LOW PRICES FOR CASH, or on any time wanted, by purchaser paying part cash and the interest on the deferred payments.
March 11, 1878 d&wtf

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
Macon County, }

In the county court to the April term thereof, A. D. 1878.

To Mrs. Lavinia Williams, Margaret Collings, Otilla Young, Perpetua Briggs, Tabitha Spore, Emily J. Camp and George W. Corn:

YOU will take notice, that at the April term A. D. 1878, of the county court of Macon county, Illinois, to be holden at the court-house in Decatur, in said county, commencing on the third Monday of April next and on the fourth day of said term, or as soon thereafter as can be heard, I will present to said court my final report as administrator of the estate of Joseph D. Long, deceased, for adjudication and settlement, and will, then and there, make a motion for an order of said court approving said report, and to be discharged from my office of administrator.
JOSEPH JONES,
Administrator of the estate of Joseph D. Long, deceased. mar28w2w

FOR SALE.

In consequence of my removal from the city, I will sell cheap for cash my premises on Macon street, 111 feet front, nicely set in trees and shrubbery; house in good repair; rooms, hall and cellar; barn and outhouses. Also will sell horse and buggy.
Oct. 31—dtf JNO. W. SMITH.

Query :- Why will men smoke common tobacco, when they can buy Marburg Bros. "Seal of North Carolina" at the same price?
Fmn11-78 d1y

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My Wall Paper cannot be beat for style and finish. Over five hundred patterns, and borders without number. Call and see for yourself.

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March 8, 1878 d6t

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One Door South of the Grange Store,

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March 15, 1878 d1m

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HOUSE, SIGN AND

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Mar17-76-ly

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THEY ARE THE BEST.

ASK YOUR DEALER FOR THEM

Oct 30, 1877 d1y

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL,

N. LAUX & BRO., Proprietors,

South side of the Old Square, Decatur, Illinois.
March 15, 1878 d&wtf

AN OLD PUZZLE REWRITTEN.

"If you please, sir, I'm a poor boy, but I'm awfully smart and I want to work."

The storekeeper looked at his customer in astonishment. The boy was a little bit of a fellow, and his chin came just over the top of the counter.

"Well," said the storekeeper, "You seem to have a pretty good idea of yourself."

"That's so," said the boy, "I lost my last place 'cause I was smart."

"All right, then I'll show you where you make a great mistake, when you say you're smart. Do you see that jug over there?"

"No, sir," said the boy, looking hard at a box marked, "Six gross safety pins."

"Not there, 'way back in the store."

"Oh, yes," said the boy.

"Now that jug is full of vinegar. It holds eight quarts. I've an order for four quarts, but haven't any empty measure excepting one holding five quarts. Now, if you're as smart as you say you are, perhaps you can measure the four quarts from the eight quarts by using the three and five?"

"I can do it," said the boy just as easy as fishing."

"If you do, I'll give you two dollars a week and your clothes. No guessing, now, you must measure exactly."

"All right," said the boy, "have your tailor here in fifteen minutes to measure me, please."

The tailor might have come even earlier, as the boy had the four quarts of vinegar measured out in less than five minutes.

How did he do it?

MAKING MAPLE SUGAR.

Says a Bondville (Vt.) correspondent of the Hartford *Times*: Sugar weather has to be "just so," and one will hear as many predictions regarding that as you will in Connecticut about a good "hay day," but like the prognosticators of hay days, the sugar men are many times disappointed. Snow must not be too deep, because if it is they cannot tap the trees good, and it is much more of a task, being obliged to wear snow shoes, but it wants a gentle thaw, so the snow will, when settled, not to be over three feet deep; that is a pretty fair snow. Of course, when the thaw does come, generally speaking, it continues to settle until sugaring is done. It wants cold freezing night, but thawing days, and then how sap will run. But if too warm trees have been put to labor, a warm spell comes, then no sap, and then they must, if a "sugar day comes, go over the whole labor, if the hole where the tap was driven in has become soured. Wood has to be gathered in quantities to the amount expected to be made. It is an expectant thing you see, all through. A bucket holds a little over or about two gallons. Each bucket is supposed to *make one pound of sugar*, and for every one hundred pounds of sugar a cord of wood is generally used. The sugar houses are generally built as near the centre of the sugar grove as possible, or of a side hill bush, under the hill, so the sap can be run from each tree in spouts to the house. If not a side hill, then carrying in pails or drawing on sleds to the house, where a large, shallow, flat pan is ready to receive it. The pan holds anywhere from forty to 150 buckets of sap. The pan sits on a sort of oven, underneath is the fire.

The sap is boiled continually until the right consistency is obtained, when it is turned off. And so the work goes on until not a drop drops from the tree. Some farmers make immense lots. The price for good sugar is all the way from 6 to 15 cents per pound. The last price is for the first sugar.

Ashby's Spring Recipe for Pleasant Dreams!

Just think of sleeping every night
On feather, filled with dust!
If they don't breed disease now,
Eventually they must.

Then bring your feathers round to me,
Good common sense this seems.
I'll steam and cleanse them thoroughly,
And then you'll have sweet dreams.

Garden Seeds. A full stock of Garden Seeds, fresh and pure, for sale by
March 15 d&w1m A. A. MURRAY.

BURT'S Boots and Shoes. Low prices, at Ferriss' Shoe Store.

The Piano Box Baby Carriage, is the latest style. J. M. Stookey & Co. sell them.
[Mar 20 d1m

Be wise in time, and get a bottle of Dr. Marshall's Lung Syrup, which always cure Coughs and Colds, and prevents Consumption. Price only 25 cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists.
March 28 d&w1w

Old Pianos and Organs taken in exchange for new ones at Gold ten Music Store, Water street, Decatur, Ill.
Nov 17

A Fresh Invoice of Black Silks of superior make, imported expressly for us, which will be sold at prices to suit the times. LINN & SCRUGGS.
March 11 d11

The very latest designs in wall paper at J. S. Hand & Co's. march d1w

For Rent. Four unfurnished rooms, with or without board, *first corner* south of the St. Nicholas Hotel. Apply at the office of F. L. Wood, over J. Millikin & Co's Bank.
[March 27 d1w

ONE PRICE ONLY!

NO MISREPRESENTATION!

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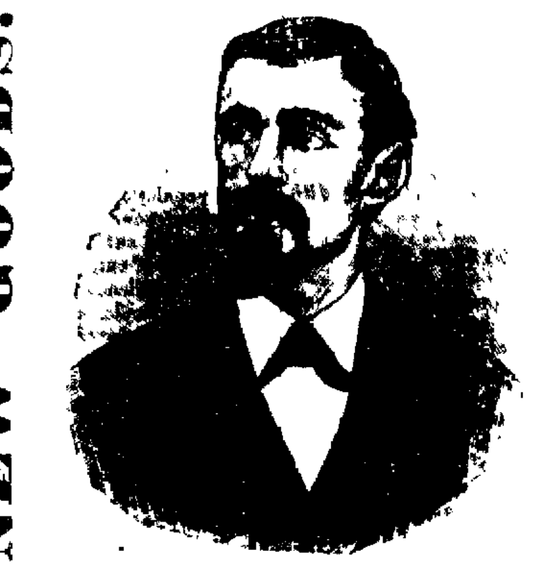

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HIS SPRING OPENING.

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From this day on we will receive weekly New Supplies.

Our Policy will ... the same as ... One price ... lower ... here, once for all that our prices will be from

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We Ask for no more than an Examination,

And our Goods and Prices will speak for themselves.

Kaufman & Bachrach.

March 14 1877 d&wtf

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
County of Macon, }

In the circuit court, December Term, A. D. 1877.
James W. Welton vs. Collins Dunbar et al. In Partition.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of a *decree rendered in the above* entitled cause at the December term, A. D. 1877, of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, the undersigned will sell on

Friday, the 26th day of April, A. D. 1878

at the hour of one o'clock p. m. of said day, at the west entrance to the court house stairway in the city of Decatur, Illinois, to the highest bidder, the following described real estate, to-wit: The south half of the northwest quarter of section thirty-two (32), in township eighteen (18) north, range four (4) east of the third principal meridian, situated in Macon county, Illinois.

TERMS OF SALE. Cash. Said sale will be absolute and a deed made to the purchaser or *purchasers on approval of sale by court.*
JOHN A. BROWN, Master in Chancery.
Decatur, Ill., March 28th, 1878. w1w
HARVEY PASS, Solicitor for Compl't.

Redemption Notices.

To J. K. Nessler, or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 23rd day of June, A. D. 1876, for the taxes for the year 1875, I purchased the following described town lots, to wit: Lots 1 and 4, block 14 of the town of Warrensburg, taxed in the name of J. K. Nessler, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 23rd day of June, A. D. 1878.
Feb 26 d&w B. K. DURFEE.

To James Foster, or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 23rd day of June, A. D. 1876, for the taxes for the year 1875, I purchased the following described town lot, to-wit: Lot 6, block 14, of the town of Warrensburg, taxed in the name of James Foster, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 23d day of June, A. D. 1878.
Feb 26 d&w B. K. DURFEE.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of William C. Loughborn, deceased.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of William C. Loughborn, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the county court of Macon county, to be holden at the court house, in the city of Decatur, on the 3rd Monday of May, A. D. 1878, being the first day of said term.
Decatur, Ill., March 25, A. D. 1878.
MARY C. LOUGHBORN, Administratrix.
March 28 w3w

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Flour is Giving Splendid Satisfaction.

Leave your orders at the Book Store of J. S. HAND & Co., near Postoffice, and they will receive prompt attention.

PRICES AS FOLLOWS.

Best White Wheat Pastry, $3.00 per cwt.
Choice XXXX Family ... 2.75 ...

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IN ORDER TO MAKE ROOM FOR AN Elegant Stock of Spring Goods, the

DECATUR

FURNITURE CO.

WILL OFFER FOR SALE FOR THE

NEXT SIXTY DAYS,

AT WHOLESALE PRICES, at their RETAIL WAREROOMS, on the

West Side of the New Square

THEIR

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CHOICE FURNITURE,

consisting of Everything usually kept in a first class retail establishment.
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Having located on the corner of

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promptly done in the best manner.
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Sheriff's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF ONE EXECUTION TO ME directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon County, Illinois, in favor of Henry M. Whitmer and against Fred. ... and George Shultz, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: The northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of Section No. twenty-four (24), the north west quarter of the southwest quarter of section No. fifteen (15), the west half of the south west quarter of the northwest quarter of section No. twenty-two (22), also the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section No. twenty-three (23), all the above described land being in township No. seventeen (17) north, of range three (3) east of the third principal meridian. Taken as property of the said George Shultz, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court House in Decatur, in Macon county and State, on the 9th day of March A. D. 1878, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, to satisfy said execution.
This ... day of February, A. D. 1878.
M. FORSTMEYER,
Sheriff Macon county, Illinois.
F ... d1w
The above sale ... postponed until the 6th day of April, 1878, at the same hour as above.
M. FORSTMEYER, Sheriff.

DIVORCE NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
Macon County, }

In the Circuit Court to the May term, A. D. 1878.
Anna Ira Nogoski vs. Martin Nogoski. Divorce.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence in this state of the said defendant, Martin Nogoski, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the said Macon County Circuit Court, the said Martin Nogoski is hereby notified that a suit entitled as above has been commenced and is now pending in said court and summons issued thereon returnable to the next term thereof, and unless you shall be and appear at said court, to be holden at the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said county of Macon, on the second Monday in the month of May, A. D. 1878, and plead, answer or demur to the bill of complaint filed in said cause, the same and the matters therein stated and set forth will be taken for confessed and a decree rendered in accordance with the prayer thereof.
F. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
I. A. Buckingham, Solicitor for Compl't.
April 1, 1878 d1w

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, May Term, A. D. 1878.
... Elliott vs. James A. Barrett and Eliza H. Barrett. Bill to remove cloud from title.

NOTICE is hereby given to the above named defendants, James A. Barrett and Eliza H. Barrett, that the said complainant, George Elliott, has filed his bill against them in said court on the chancery side thereof, which suit is now pending, that summons has been issued ... said defendants returnable into said court upon the second Monday of May, A. D. 1878. Now, unless the said James A. Barrett and Eliza H. Barrett shall appear on or before the second Monday of May, A. D. 1878 and plead, answer or demur to said bill, the same will be taken as confessed and a decree entered according to the prayer thereof.
F. McCLELLAN, Clerk of said court.
April 1, 1878 d4w

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In the circuit court to the May term, A. D. 1878.
Lavinia Williams, Jackson Williams, Otilla Young and George H. Young, Tabitha Spore and Perpetua Briggs, vs. Margaret Collins, William M. Collins, Emily J. Camp, Samuel Camp, George Walker Corn, Samuel Corn, Mary F. Tousley, Henry C. Wilson, Alligena H. Brown, Charles F. Emery, Seth Spore and George W. Toms. Bill for Partition and Dower.

To the defendants in said cause, you, and each of you are hereby notified that there is a certain suit now pending and undetermined in the circuit court of Macon county, State of Illinois, on the chancery side of said court, wherein Lavinia Williams, Jackson Williams, Otilla Young, George H. Young, Tabitha Spore and Perpetua Briggs are plaintiffs, and Margaret Collins, William M. Collins, Emily J. Camp, Samuel Camp, George Walker Corn, Samuel Corn, Mary F. Tousley, Henry C. Wilson, Alligena H. Brown, Charles F. Emery, Seth Spore and George W. Toms are defendants, and that summons in said cause is issued returnable into said court on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the court house in Decatur in said county of Macon, on the second Monday in the month of May, A. D. 1878.

Now unless you the said defendants, and each of you shall, then and there, personally be and appear and plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill, the same and the allegations therein contained will be taken as confessed and a decree entered according to the prayer of said petition.
Dated Decatur, Illinois, April 1st, 1878.
F. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
Bunn & Park, Solicitors for Complainant.
April 1 d4w

LOT FOR SALE.

LOT 7, Block 3, Wait & Co's Addition to Decatur. Lot fronts 48 feet on Mason street and runs through to the Wabash Railroad. It will be sold cheap for cash. Inquire of BENJ. DILL.
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Formerly Resident Physician St. John's Hospital [illegible], late of United States Army; Surgeon in Charge of [illegible] Office in Post Office Block, entrance Reading Room Stairs, Decatur, Illinois. Residence No. 40 North Main street. Jun17'76-d&wtf

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March 8 [illegible]

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County. ss.
Macon County Circuit Court.
Dwight E. Fowler vs. Daniel P. Elwood [illegible] Elwood. Foreclosure.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December term, A. D. [illegible], I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

Monday, the 22d day of April, A. D. 1878,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, at the west door of the court house in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, to-wit: Lots one (1) and two (2), in block six (6), in Peuther, Marshall & Oetting's Addition to Decatur, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.
Decatur, Ill., March 21, 1878.
JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.
W. [illegible], Solicitor for Complainant.
March 21 d[illegible]

FINE PROPERTY

FOR SALE.

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Wishing to change location, offers the following Real Estate for Sale:

HIS Fine Residence, No. 25 West William street, Decatur.

THE property known as the "White Property," corner North Church and West Prairie streets, Decatur.

STORE, now occupied by A. A. Murray, on North Main St., just north of the Priest House, Decatur.

40 Acres of unbroken prairie land, one mile south of Stonington, on the Decatur & East St. Louis Railroad, Christian county.

10 Acres of very fine pasture just north of the Fair Grounds, Macon county.

120 Acres of land in Adair county, Mo., seven miles north of Kirkwood, and one mile from Summit Station, on the North Missouri Railroad.

He will sell all or any part of the above property at LOW PRICES FOR CASH, or on any time wanted, by purchaser paying part cash and the interest on the deferred payments.
March 11, 1878. d&wtf

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County. ss.
In the county court to the April term thereof, A. D. 1878.

To Mrs. Lavinia Williams, Margaret Collings, Odilla Young, Perpetua Briggs, Tabitha Spore, Emily J. Camp and George W. Corn:

YOU will take notice, that at the April term A. D. 1878, of the county court of Macon county, Illinois, to be holden at the court-house in Decatur, in said county, commencing on the third Monday of April next and on the fourth day of said term, or as soon thereafter as can be heard, I will present to said court my final report as administrator of the estate of Joseph D. Long, deceased, for adjudication and settlement, and will, then and there, make a motion for an order of said court approving said report, and to be discharged from my office of administrator.
JOSEPH JONES,
Administrator of the estate of Joseph D. Long, deceased. mar28w2w

FOR SALE.

In consequence of my removal from the city, I will sell cheap for cash my premises on Macon street, 111 feet front, nicely set in trees and shrubbery; house in good repair; rooms, hall and cellar; barn and outhouses. I also will sell horse and buggy.
Oct. 31-d&f JNO. W. SMITH.

Query: — Why will men smoke common tobacco, when they can buy Marburg Bros.' "Seal of North Carolina" at the same price? [illegible]'78 d1y

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March 8, 1878. d[illegible]

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March 15, 1878. d1m

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Mar27'76-ly

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Oct. 20, 1877. d1y

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N. LAUX & BRO., Proprietors,

South side of the Old Square, Decatur, Illinois.
March 15, 1878. d&wtf

AN OLD PUZZLE REWRITTEN.

"If you please, sir, I'm a poor boy, but I'm awfully smart and I want to work."

The storekeeper looked at his customer in astonishment. The boy was a little bit of a fellow, and his chin came just over the top of the counter.

"Well," said the storekeeper, "You seem to have a pretty good idea of yourself."

"That's so," said the boy, "I lost my last place 'cause I was smart."

"All right, then I'll show you where you make a great mistake, when you say you're smart. Do you see that jug over there?"

"No, sir," said the boy, looking hard at a box marked, "Six gross safety pins."

"Not there, 'way back in the store."

"Oh, yes," said the boy.

"Now that jug is full of vinegar, it holds eight quarts. I've an order for four quarts, but haven't any empty measure excepting one holding five quarts. Now, if you're as smart as you say you are, perhaps you can measure the four quarts from the eight quarts by using the three and five?"

"I can do it," said the boy just as easy as fishing."

"If you do, I'll give you two dollars a week and your clothes. No guessing now, you must measure exactly."

"All right," said the boy, have your tailor here in fifteen minutes to measure me, please."

The tailor might have come even earlier, as the boy had the four quarts of vinegar measured out in less than five minutes.

How did he do it?

MAKING MAPLE SUGAR.

Says a Bondville (Vt.) correspondent of the Hartford *Times*: Sugar weather has to be "just so," and one will hear as many predictions regarding that as you will in Connecticut about a good "hay day," but like the prognosticators of hay days, the sugar men are many times disappointed. Snow must not be too deep, because if it is they cannot tap the trees good, and it is much more of a task, being obliged to wear snow shoes, but it wants a gentle thaw, so the snow will, when settled, not to be over three feet deep; that is a pretty fair snow. Of course, when the thaw does come, generally speaking, it continues to settle until sugaring is done. It wants cold freezing night, but thawing days; and then how sap will run. But if too warm trees have been put to labor a warm spell comes, then no sap, and then they must, if a "sugar day comes, go over the whole labor, if the hole where the tap was driven in has become seared. Wood has to be gathered in quantities to the amount expected to be made. It is an expectant thing you see, all through. A bucket holds a little over or about two gallons. Each bucket is supposed to make one pound of sugar, and for every one hundred pounds of sugar a cord of wood is generally used. The sugar houses are generally built as near the centre of the sugar grove as possible, or of a side hill bush, under the hill, so the sap can be run from each tree in spouts to the house. If not a side hill, then carrying in pails or drawing on sleds to the house, where a large, shallow, flat pan is ready to receive it. The pan holds anywhere from forty to 150 buckets of sap. The pan sits on a sort of oven, underneath is the fire.

The sap is boiled continually until the right consistency is obtained, when it is turned off. And so the work goes on until not a drop drops from the tree. Some farmers make immense lots. The price for good sugar is all the way from 6 to 15 cents per pound. The last price is for the first sugar.

Ashby's Spring Recipe for Pleasant Dreams!

Just think of keeping every night
On feathers filled with dust!
If they don't breed disease now
Event[illegible] they must.

Then bring your feathers round to me,
Good common sense this seems;
I'll steam and cleanse them thoroughly,
And then you'll have sweet dreams.

Garden Seeds. A full stock of Garden Seeds, fresh and pure, for sale by
March [illegible] d&w1m A. A. MURRAY.

BURT'S Boots and Shoes. Low prices, at Ferriss' Shoe Store.

The Piano Box Baby Carriage, is the latest style. J. M. Stookey & Co. sell them. [Mar 20 d1m

Be wise in time, and get a bottle of Dr. Marshall's Lung Syrup, which always cures Coughs and Colds, and prevents Consumption. Price only 25 cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists.
March 28 daw1w

Old Pianos and Organs taken in exchange for new ones at Gold[illegible] Music Store, Water street, Decatur, Ill.
Nov 17

A Fresh Invoice of Black Silks of superior make, imported expressly for us, which will be sold at prices to suit the times. LINN & SCRUGGS.
March 11 d[illegible]

The very latest designs in wall paper at J. S. Hand & Co's. mar6 d1w

For Rent. Four unfurnished rooms, with or without board, first corner south of the St. Nicholas Hotel. Apply at the office of F. L. Wood over J. Millikan & Co's Bank. [March 27 d1w

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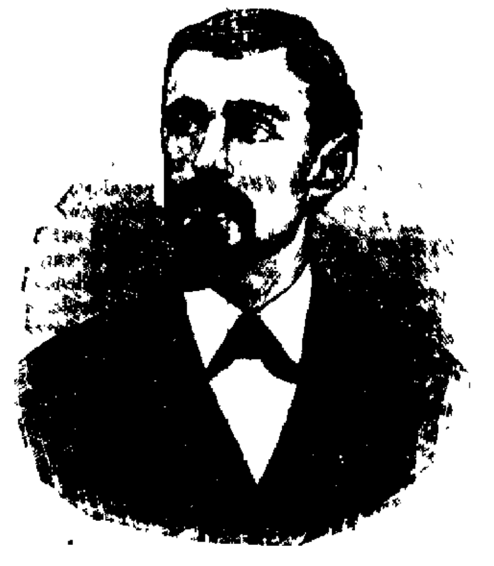

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We Ask for no more than an Examination,

And our Goods and Prices will speak for themselves.

Kaufman & Bachrach.

March 13 1878 d&wtf

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, County of Macon. ss.
In the circuit court, December Term A. D. 1878.
James W. Welton vs. Collins Dunbar et al. In Partition.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of a decree rendered in the above entitled cause at the December term, A. D. 1877, of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, the undersigned will sell on

Friday, the 26th day of April, A. D. 1878,

at the hour of one o'clock p. m. of said day, at the west entrance to the court house stairway in the city of Decatur, Illinois, to the highest bidder the following described real estate, to-wit: The south half of the northwest quarter of section thirty-two (32), in township eighteen (18) north, range four (4) east of the third principal meridian, situated in Macon county, Illinois.

TERMS OF SALE. Cash. Said sale will be absolute and a deed made to the purchaser or purchasers on approval of sale by court.
JOHN A. BROWN, Master in Chancery.
Decatur, Ill., March 28th, 1878. w4w
HARVEY PASS, solicitor for Complt.

Redemption Notices.

To J. K. Needler, or whom it may concern.

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 23d day of June, A. D. 1876 for the taxes for the year 1875, I purchased the following described town lots, to-wit: Lots 1 and 4, block 13 of the town of Warrensburg, taxed in the name of J. K. Needler, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 23d day of June, A. D. 1878.
Feb. 26 d3w B. K. DURFEE.

To James Foster, or whom it may concern.

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 23d day of June, A. D. 1876 for the taxes for the year 1875, I purchased the following described town lot, to-wit: Lot 6, block 14, of the town of Warrensburg, taxed in the name of James Foster, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 23d day of June, A. D. 1878.
Feb. 26 d3w B. K. DURFEE.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of William C. Loughborn, deceased.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of William C. Loughborn, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the county court of Macon county, to be holden at the court house, in the city of Decatur, on the 3rd Monday of May, A. D. 1878, being the first day of said term.
Decatur, Ill., March 25, A. D. 1878.
MARY C. LOUGHBORN, Administratrix.
March 28 w3w

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promptly done in the best manner.
[illegible] 1878 d&wtf

Sheriff's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF ONE EXECUTION TO ME directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Henry M. Whitney and against Fred[illegible] Sholtz and George Sholtz, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: The northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of Section No. Twenty four (24), the north west quarter of the southwest quarter of section No. thirteen (13), the west half of the south west quarter of the northwest quarter of section No. Twenty two (22), also the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section No. twenty-three (23), all the above described land being in Township No. seventeen (17) north of range three (3) east of the third principal meridian. Taken as property of the said George Sholtz, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court House in Decatur, in Macon county, in said State, on the 9th day of March, A. D. 1878, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand to satisfy said execution.
This [illegible] day of February, A. D. 1878.
M. FORSTMEYER,
Sheriff Macon county, Illinois.
Feb [illegible] d&w
The above sale is postponed until the 8th day of April, 1878, at the same hour as above.
M. FORSTMEYER, Sheriff.

DIVORCE NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County. ss.
In the Circuit Court to the May term, A. D. 1878.
Annie Nogaske vs. Martin Nogaske. Divorce.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence in this state of the said defendant Martin Nogaske having been filed in the office of the clerk of the said Macon County Circuit Court, the said Martin Nogaske, are hereby notified that a suit entitled as above has been commenced and is now pending in said court and summons issued thereon returnable to the next term thereof, and unless you shall be and appear at said court, to be holden at the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said county of Macon, on the second Monday in the month of May, A. D. 1878 and plead, answer or demur to the bill of complaint filed in said cause, the same and the matters therein stated and set forth will be taken for confessed and a decree rendered in accordance with the prayer thereof. F. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
I. A. Buckingham, Solicitor for Complt.
April 1, 1878 d4w

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County. ss.
In the Circuit Court, May Term, A. D. 1878.
[illegible] Elliott vs. James A. Barrett and Eliza [illegible] Barrett. Bill to remove cloud from title.

NOTICE is hereby given to the above-named defendants, James A. Barrett and Eliza [illegible], that the said complainant George [illegible] has filed his bill against them in said court on the chancery side thereof, which suit is now pending, that summons has been issued [illegible] defendants, returnable to the said court upon the second Monday of May, A. D. 1878. Now, [illegible] the said James A. Barrett and Eliza H. Barrett shall appear on or before the second Monday of May, A. D. 1878 and plead, answer or demur to said bill, the same will be taken as confessed and a decree entered according to the prayer thereof.
F. McCLELLAN, Clerk of said court.
April 1, 1878. d4w

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County. ss.
In the circuit court to the May term, A. D. 1878.
Lavinia Williams, Jackson Williams, Odilla Young and George F. Young, Tabitha Spore and Perpetua Briggs, vs. Margaret Collins, William M. Collins, Emily J. Camp, Samuel Camp, George Walker Corn, Samuel Corn, Mary F. Tinsley, Henry C. Wilson, Albigena H. Brown, Charles F. Emory, Seth Spore and George W. Toms. Bill for Partition and Dower.

TO the defendants in said cause, you, and each of you are hereby notified that there is now pending and undetermined in the circuit court of Macon county, State of Illinois, on the chancery side of said court, wherein Lavinia Williams, Jackson Williams, Odilla Young, George F. Young, Tabitha Spore and Perpetua Briggs are plaintiffs, and Margaret Collins, William M. Collins, Emily J. Camp, Samuel Camp, George Walker Corn, Samuel Corn, Mary F. Tinsley, Henry C. Wilson, Albigena H. Brown, Charles F. Emory, Seth Spore and George W. Toms are defendants, and that summons in said cause is issued returnable into said court on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the court house in Decatur in said county of Macon, on the second Monday in the month of May, A. D. 1878.

Now unless you the said defendants, and each of you, shall, then and there, personally be and appear and plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill, the same and the allegations therein contained will be taken as confessed and a decree entered according to the prayer of said petition.
Dated Decatur, Illinois, April 1st, 1878.
F. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
BUNN & PARK, Solicitors for Complainant.
April 1 d4w

LOT FOR SALE.

LOT 7, Block 2, Wait & Co's Addition to Decatur. Lot fronts 40 feet on Mason street and runs through to the Wabash Railroad. It will be sold cheap for cash. Inquire of BENJ. DILL.
Oct[illegible]

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, APRIL 3, 1878.

WE are glad to see that the President has appointed our friend, Captain John N Wasson, of Shawneetown, Consul at Quebec He is one of the leading Republicans of Southern Illinois, has been a representative in the legislature, and is a high minded honorable gentleman His appointment is one that will be peculiarly gratifying to the sturdy Republicans of Egypt.

RHODE ISLAND elects to day a Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State Attorney General and Treasurer The Republicans and Prohibitionists united in nominating the present state officers. The Democrats have a full ticket in the field, as have the Greenback or National party The vote in 1877 was 12,455 Republicans and 11,783 Democratic The Prohibitionist in 1876 cast 6,733 for Governor

HON James B Belford has written a letter on the financial question, which closes as follows And now in conclusion, permit me to say that the disease of the nation to-day is its vast indebtedness, its indebtedness growing out of the war its indebtedness incurred by wild speculations and unprofitable ventures; its indebtedness born of the fever of extravagance for foreign silks velvets laces, and gewgaws, its indebtedness incurred in constructing railroads managed adversely to the interests of those who paid for their construction its indebtedness contracted in erecting gorgeous church temples where religion has every grace except the heart For this disease experience can suggest but one cure—industry, economy and time This cure disregarded, the fever and delirium will increase until universal bankruptcy overtakes us all This cure applied, the recovery though slow will be absolutely certain"

THE Cincinnati *Gazette*, a staunch friend of President Hayes, takes the liberty of offering this friendly advice

The change in style that we would recommend would be less reserve on the part of the President when advising with his political friends Without intending, perhaps, he freezes many of those upon whom he ought to depend for advice, and upon whom he must depend for fair and disinterested support In this there is something wrong, and it is right here that a change of policy is called for The party needs to be warmed up and enthused, and this cannot be done in the cold atmosphere of the White House and some of the departments *It behooves the President*, as the head of his party, to seriously consider the cause of the coldness that prevails toward him, and to do whatever may be necessary to change the atmosphere without violating any principle It is not too late to do this It is certainly *not too early to attempt it*

COLONEL PRITCHARD of the Fourth Michigan Cavalry, has published in the Allegan (Mich.) *Journal* the facts connected with the capture of Jeff Davis, and he says that the arch-traitor really did attempt escape in woman's apparel, that Mrs. Davis said to him (the Colonel) that the disguise was an idea of hers, that the man Parker who lately denied the "disguise" business (saying that he was a member of the squad which captured Jeff) is a falsifier, since his name does not appear on the army list in any department connected with the capture Finally Colonel Pritchard says that Jeff's old woman wardrobe consisting of a long waterproof and shawl, was given him (the Colonel) by request, and is now stored in the War Department at Washington This should settle it

THE Illinois political Greenbackers *alias* "Nationals," have nominated for State Treasurer a "bloated bondholder," who, only three or four weeks ago, was one of the principal stockholders and *directors in, and* Vice President of, the First National Bank of Springfield, Ill He sold out his bank stock just in time to be a candidate for the nomination of the party which, among other things, is making war on the national banks Either their candidate for State Treasurer has an extraordinary *genius* for playing the confidence game, or those who nominated him "don't care a snap" whether school keeps or not *Chicago Journal*

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THE SOUTHERN RAW

Just at the present time the New York *Tribune* is doing good service for the cause of right, by calling attention to the voracity exhibited by southern representatives in congress, in their raids on the public treasury. It has given a number of tables with dates, amounts by whom introduced, etc., of the bills already introduced for the appropriation of moneys for the alleged improvements in the South During the present session prior to the holiday recess there were introduced bills appropriating $150 000 000. Since the reassembling there have been bills introduced appropriating $12,007 822, *making a grand total of over one hundred and sixty two million dollars* for the improvement of the south With every opportunity to offer new bills, fresh demands have been made, and there is no doubt that the demands will continue. It looks as if southern representatives mindful of the constitutional provision that no debts of the confederacy should be assumed by the general government were seeking to evade the prohibition under the specious plea that "improvements were demanded Many of the objects for which help is now asked would not have required it but for the rebellion, and it would seem as if the states and the people of the south might well be satisfied with the leniency with which they have been treated and rest content without "improvements" at least until the country has more fully recovered from the effects of the war into which they plunged it

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Rev Samuel Mac Burney of the Illinois M E Conference, says of them

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WASHINGTON April 2 The Secretary of the Navy has received a communication from the commanding officer of the South Pacific station to the effect that American merchantmen are engaged in the transportation of Chinese The Navy Department is now considering the question of the necessary instructions to our fleet to have the laws executed by the seizure of all such ships, and the probability is that such instructions will be speedily issued The Department is advised that a vessel wrecked on one of the the South Pacific Islands was found to contain fifty Chinese over and above the number certified to by the U S Consul at the port of embarkation It is also represented to the Secretary of the Navy that coolies had been taken to Honolulu, where they are forced to enter into contracts for labor in order to procure their liberty, and that the trade is supposed to be carried on in utter defiance of the laws of the United States This subject was under consideration at the Cabinet meeting to day

TELEGRAPHIC

FOREIGN FLASHES.

Russia to Make Another Effort

To Come to Terms with England.

The Chicago Election.

Washington Whispers.

LONDON, April 2 —The following is the sentence verbatim, in Lord Salisbury's circular to the Powers, in which he objects to the Treaty of San Stefano as a whole

"The combined effect of the treaty, in addition to the results upon the Greek population and upon the balance of maritime power which have been already pointed out, is to depress almost to the point of entire subjection the political independence of the Government of Constantinople The foreign jurisdiction of that Government extends over geographical positions which must, under all circumstances, be of the deepest interest to Great Britain It is in the power of the Ottoman Government to close or to open the Straits which form the natural highway of nations, between the Ægean Sea and the Euxine Its dominion is recognized at the head of the Persian Gulf on the shores of the Levant, and in the immediate neighborhood of the Suez Canal. It cannot be otherwise than a matter of extreme solicitude to this country that this government to which this jurisdiction belongs should be so closely pressed by the political outposts of a greatly superior Power, that its independent action and even existence is almost impossible These results arise, not so much from the language of any single article in the treaty, as from the operation of the instrument as a whole A discussion limited to the articles selected by one Power in the Congress would be an illusory remedy for the danger to English interests and to the permanent peace of Europe which would result from the state of things which the treaty proposes to establish"

Vienna dispatches state that the Austrian objection is not less fatal to the existence of the treaty than is England's

The apparent agreement between Austria and England caused an improved tone on the London and other bourses yesterday on the theory that Russia must give way for such a combination

A St. Petersburg correspondent says the Austrian views are regarded there as so exorbitant that the Russian Chancellary, *to prevent an offensive alliance* between Austria and England, is about to make another attempt to come to terms with England

At Vienna the hopes are still entertained that the congress may meet

Nothing is developed about the feeling at *Berlin only that Bismarck is* going to his Lauenburg estates shortly unless detained by the Eastern question

It is stated that Russia is irritated by the rebuff from France The latter being approached for a separate recognition of the Treaty of San Stefano, replied that *she would not* participate in a combination against England

Latest advices from Constantinople say a strong conviction prevails at the Russian headquarters that an Anglo-Russian war is inevitable It is reported that Russia has offered to cancel the money indemnity *and increase the* Turkish powers over New Bulgaria as reward for an alliance, but these offers have not led to any result

The Grand Duke Nicholas held a reception of the diplomatic body Sunday The British and French Ambassadors sent their cards The *Grand Duke* returnes to his headquarters at San Stefano Wednesday

WASHINGTON D. C, April 2 —The House, this afternoon, by a vote of 118 to 79 decided to consider the report of of the Committee on Civil Service Reform, recommending that the office of doorkeeper be declared vacant Polk's friends rallied, and tried to defeat the motion to consider, but they were not as strong as they anticipated The vote indicates that Polk will have to go

The president to day nominated W C Howells, who is now Consul at Quebec, to be Consul at Toronto, Can, and John N Wasson, of Illinois, to be Consul at Quebec

CHAMPAIGN, Ill, April 2 —The faculty of the State University yesterday afternoon passed resolutions highly eulogistic of Hon W C. Flagg, deceased, who was a most valued member of the Board of Trustees of the university Dr Gregory pronounced a eulogy upon the character and deeds of Mr Flagg highly appreciative of both Mr. Flagg was one of the founders of the university, receiving his first appointment as a trustee from Governor Oglesby. He was buried yesterday from his home in Moro, Ill. His death has caused a profound regret among the special friends of the institution.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., April 2 —The Bank of Jacksonville, in this city, was robbed to day of $7,500 A man engaged the attention of the Cashier while a confederate entered the rear door, stepped into the vault, and secured the money.

WASHINGTON, April 2.—The personal adherents of Samuel J. Tilden are in high spirits to-day over the passage, by the Maryland State Senate, last night, of Montgomery Blair's resolution directing the Attorney General of that State to appear before the Supreme Court of the United States and initiate proceedings in the matter of determining whether or not Mr. Hayes was properly counted in as President The resolution had previously passed the House of Delegates A gentleman who arrived here this morning from Annapolis says that Blair is very jubilant over the action of the legislature, and declares that Mr Hayes will be ousted from the Presidential chair within sixty days Attorney General Givin, of Maryland, does not, however, take as hopeful view of the matter as Blair does, and says that he will be in no hurry to prepare his brief, inasmuch as Congress must first pass an act giving jurisdiction to the Supreme Court, and this must be approved by President Hayes, or allowed to become a law without his signature. The President's friends here are not greatly disturbed at these proceedings, but believe that a majority of the Democrats in the House are not favorable to re opening the presidential question The President himself regards Blair's action as merely intended to stir up a sectional strife without accomplishing anything. He feels annoyed, but does not for a moment believe that any considerable number of his political opponents are disposed to question his title to the high office that he now holds.

LONDON, April 2 —The Earl of Leitrim, his clerk and driver, were all shot dead, this morning, while driving near his lordship's lodge Manor Vaughan, county of Kerry No details of the shooting have come to hand

LATER —The Earl of Leitrim's body was found in a ditch The left side of his head is battered in It is thought he was also shot in the head, but the fatal shot was through his heart The left arm is broken, and the right completely shattered The driver and clerk were shot in the head The ground where the murder was committed showed traces of a hard struggle A fowling piece and part of another gun were found near the spot Three or four men were seen loitering in the neighborhood before the murder

LONDON, April 2 —The Earl of Leitrim was shot opposite the cottage from which he had recently evicted a widow Eighty nine of his tenants were under notice to quit

In the House of Commons, to night, Mr Lowther, under colonial secretary, confirmed the report of the shooting of Earl Leitrim, and said there was reason to suppose the crime was one of an agrarian character.

PARIS, Ill, April 2 The Circuit Court of Edgar county, for the March term, entered a few days since upon the criminal cases, of which there are a large number, several of them being murder cases and other cases of high crimes. For two days past McGee, of Vermillion, the noted abortionist, has been on trial, he having already served two terms in state's prison The case of James Halloway, for the murder of John Rafferty, last June, at Vermillion, excited much interest The jury, after a long session, acquitted him on the ground that the killing was in self defense. The two men had been at enmity, and had mutually threatened each other's life Rafferty, who was a constable, undertook, in a gentleman's parlor, to arrest Holloway, as he said, for carrying concealed weapons Holloway backed out of the room, and being pressed upon, shot Rafferty, killing him Both men had many friends

LONDON, April 2.—The Mark Lane *Express* says reports concerning the wheat plant from all parts of the kingdom continue satisfactory Country trade is steady but not active Provincial markets are scantily supplied with home grown grain Imports of foreign wheat into London have been liberal Russia is anxious to dispose of her produce, and with her and America competing, it is difficult to see whence the trade is to derive strength to enable prices to hold up Politics have once more monopolized the entire attention of the trade and with fair arrivals at ports of call, of floating cargoes, the trade for wheat is firm, owing to more unsettled state of political matters, and prices have advanced two to three shillings per quarter The continental demand continues Maize improved nine pence to a shilling per quarter Barley ruled firm at 6 pence per quarter advance

CHICAGO, April 2 —Midnight —At this hour few wards have sent in full returns, but from what is received it is evident that the council will loose some of its best members, and their places will be supplied with less creditable selections Out of eighteen wards, fifteen have been heard from with sufficient completeness to base an opinion upon In these, it seems that nine democrats, five republicans and one communist have been elected From the towns, the returns are even less decisive It is, however, pretty certain that the republicans have elected their *ticket* in south town, and the prospects favor a republican victory in north town, while west town is in doubt The friends of municipal reform are considerably disappointed at the result of the election of the council.

NEW YORK, April 2 —The remains of Madam Restell, the suicide, were taken to Tarrytown to day for interment Only her relatives, counsel and servants attended the funeral.

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LONDON, April 3 The *Times* in a leading editorial, says "The Government's conviction that the terms extorted from Turkey are inconsistent alike with the interests of England and Europe, will be sustained by the public opinion of the country"

A special from Constantinople says "The Russians, fearing the Turks will endeavor to maintain neutrality, M Onou, first dragoman of the Russian Embassy, has made the following demands, which may be regarded as an ultimatum Abandonment to the Russians of fortifications on both sides of the upper Bosphorus, and Gallipoli and Boulair on the Dardanelles The Turks are also to evacuate Makrikivi and Masluk and place some barracks and hospitals at the disposal of the Russians The Grand Duke Nicholas, last night, urged these demands upon Reouf Pasha and they will be submitted to the council It is said that the Sultan and Vefik Pasha oppose them."

A Constantinople special says the Russians have commenced a fresh movement towards Gallipoli. Russian troops north of the Balkans are being moved nearer the Danube The Russians are everywhere erecting fortifications

The semi official *Eastern Budget* prints the following special from Vienna "Gen Ignatieff was informed by this government that it requires certain alterations to be made in the peace preliminaries, and such alterations to be must be made with the concurrence of other powers. There is no prospect, therefore, of England being isolated, and the action of the Vienna Cabinet is calculated to promote the interests of peace."

A Vienna dispatch says It is announced that Gen. Ignatieff will return here after he has consulted Prince Gortschakoff on Austria's objections to the treaty"

A St. Petersburg correspondent telegraphs "It is admitted that Austria is not at all disposed to state clearly the price of her neutrality, recognizing the fact that war between Russia and England will enable her to dictate her own terms"

A St. Petersburg dispatch, and advices from Berlin and Vienna, mention some indications that Russia might desire to renew negotiations for a Congress, taking the treaty of Paris as a basis of discussion

A correspondent at Vienna, says "A dispatch from Count Von Beust, Austrian Ambassador at London, received here states that Lords Beaconsfield and Salisbury earnestly desire the maintenance of peace, but if Russia's attitude should render war a necessity, it will be carried on until resistance is crushed"

MONTREAL, April 2 —The demand for horses for England is increasing Several carloads are being taken over the Grand Trunk Railroad daily, destined for Europe They are intended for military service, and are branded with the letter S Large shipments of cattle are also being forwarded from the lower provinces, and the country, east and west, is being searched for suitable horses for war purposes

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Feb 11 dtf

Montgomery & Co. are now receiving their spring stock of Boots and Shoes, latest styles, and prices to suit the times Call and examine First door east of the Postoffice mar16 d1m

Pianos and Organs for rent at C B Prescott's f 126 d&wtf

S. Einstein is selling 16 yards of the best Prints for $1 00 mar27 d1w

Buckskin Cassimeres, the best and cheapest goods in the market for men and boys, at LINN & SCRUGGS

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RHODE ISLAND elects to day a Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State Attorney General and Treasurer The Republicans and Prohibitionists united in combating the present state officers. The Democrats have a full ticket in the field, as have the Greenback or National party The vote in 1877 was 12,455 Republican and 11,783 Democratic The Prohibitionist in 1876 cast 6,733 for Governor

HON James B Bedford has written a letter on the financial question, which closes as follows And now in conclusion, permit me to say that the disease of the nation to-day is its vast indebtedness, its indebtedness growing out of the war its indebtedness incurred by wild speculations and unprofitable ventures; its indebtedness born of the fever of extravagance for foreign silks velvets laces, and gewgaws, its indebtedness incurred in constructing railroads managed adversely to the interests of those who paid for their construction its indebtedness contracted in erecting gorgeous church temples where religion has every grace except the heart For this disease experience can suggest but one cure—industry, economy and time This cure disregarded, the fever and delirium will increase until universal bankruptcy overtakes us all This cure applied, the recovery though slow will be absolutely certain'

THE Cincinnati *Gazette*, a staunch friend of President Hayes, takes the liberty of offering this friendly advice

The change in style that we would recommend would be less reserve on the part of the President when advising with his political friends Without intending, perhaps, he freezes many of those upon whom he ought to depend for advice, and upon whom he must depend for fair and disinterested support In this there is something wrong, and it is right here that a change of policy is called for The party needs to be warmed up and enthused, and this cannot be done in the cold atmosphere of the White House and some of the departments It behooves the President, as the head of his party, to seriously consider the cause of the coldness that prevails toward him, and to do whatever may be necessary to change the atmosphere without violating any principle It is not too late to do this It is certainly not too early to attempt it

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THE SOUTHERN MAW

Just at the present time the New York *Tribune* is doing good service for the cause of right, by calling attention to the voracity exhibited by southern representatives in congress, in their raids on the public treasury. It has given a number of tables with dates, amounts by whom introduced, etc., of the bills already introduced for the appropriation of moneys for the alleged improvements in the South During the present session prior to the holiday recess there were introduced bills appropriating $150 000 000. Since the reassembling there have been bills introduced appropriating $12,897 822, making a grand total of over *one hundred and sixty two million dollars* for the improvement of the south With every opportunity to offer new bills, fresh demands have been made, and there is no doubt that the demands will continue. It looks as if southern representatives mindful of the constitutional provision that no debts of the confederacy should be assumed by the general government were seeking to evade the prohibition under the specious plea that "improvements were demanded Many of the objects for which help is now asked would not have required it but for the rebellion, and it would seem as if the states and the people of the south might well be satisfied with the leniency with which they have been treated and rest content without "improvements" at least until the country has more fully recovered from the effects of the war into which they plunged it

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Harrison's Cough and Voice Lozenges, For the Permanent Cure of Coughs, Hoarseness Sore Throat Asthma, Bronchitis, Influenza and all Affections of the Throat and Lungs

These Lozenges have been used by a great many of my customers for a number of years, who have experienced the most happy effect from their use, when various *other remedies had failed*, and the great number of letters I have received in commendation of their virtues, has induced me to offer them to the public as the best and most simple remedy for all affections of the Throat and Lungs, that *lead to consumption* feeling assured that if a trial is given them those afflicted will derive great benefit from their use To public speakers and vocalists they will be found invaluable, as may be seen by a few of the many letters I have received

Rev Samuel Mac Burney of the Illinois M E Conference, says of them

Having been annoyed, for a number of years, with a temporary throat ailment, I have tried most of the well known remedies for such troubles without finding any of them adapted to my case A friend handed me a box of HARRISON'S COUGH and VOICE LOZENGES, and I was surprised that on taking one lozenge I was almost entirely relieved of a severe attack Since then I have had no difficulty in keeping my vocal organs in good condition It is therefore with pleasure that I recommend them

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Price 25 cents per box. Prepared only at the Chemical Laboratory of H C Archibald, Philadelphia, Pa, To be had in Decatur of Mr J T Hubbard Druggist, who is agent for their sale

Be sure to examine the "Davis" before purchasing a sewing machine
March 20 d1m J M Sprouse & Co Agents

Berlin Zephyr at 15 and 20 cents an ounce, and full length Germantown Yarn at 25 cents a hank LINN & SCRUGGS
Feb 18—d&wtf

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WASHINGTON April 2 The Secretary of the Navy has received a communication from the commanding officer of the South Pacific station to the effect that American merchantmen are engaged in the transportation of Chinese The Navy Department is now considering the question of the necessary instructions to our fleet to have the laws executed by the seizure of all such ships, and the probability is that such instructions will be speedily issued The Department is advised that a vessel wrecked on one of the the South Pacific Islands was found to contain fifty Chinese over and above the number certified to by the U S Consul at the port of embarkation It is also represented to the Secretary of the Navy that coolies had been taken to Honolulu, where they are forced to enter into contracts for labor in order to procure their liberty, and that the trade is supposed to be carried on in utter defiance of the laws of the United States This subject was under consideration at the Cabinet meeting to day

TELEGRAPHIC

FOREIGN FLASHES.

Russia to Make Another Effort

To Come to Terms with England.

The Chicago Election.

Washington Whispers.

LONDON, April 2 -The following is the sentence verbatim, in Lord Salisbury's circular to the Powers, in which he objects to the Treaty of San Stefano as a whole

"The combined effect of the treaty, in addition to the results upon the Greek population and upon the balance of maritime power which have been already pointed out, is to depress almost to the point of entire subjection the political independence of the Government of Constantinople The foreign jurisdiction of that Government extends over geographical positions which must, under all circumstances, be of the deepest interest to Great Britain It is in the power of the Ottoman Government to close or to open the Straits which form the natural highway of nations, between the Ægean Sea and the Euxine Its dominion is recognized at the head of the Persian Gulf on the shores of the Levant, and in the immediate neighborhood of the Suez Canal. It cannot be otherwise than a matter of extreme solicitude to this country that this government to which this jurisdiction belongs should be so closely pressed by the political outposts of a greatly superior Power, that its independent action and even existence is almost impossible These results arise, not so much from the language of any single article in the treaty, as from the operation of the instrument as a whole A discussion limited to the articles selected by one Power in the Congress would be an illusory remedy for the danger to English interests and to the permanent peace of Europe which would result from the state of things which the treaty proposes to establish"

Vienna dispatches state that the Austrian objection is not less fatal to the existence of the treaty than is England's

The apparent agreement between Austria and England caused an improved tone on the London and other bourses yesterday on the theory that Russia must give way for such a combination

A St. Petersburg correspondent says the Austrian views are regarded there as so exorbitant that the Russian Chancellary, to prevent an offensive alliance between Austria and England, is about to make another attempt to come to terms with England

At Vienna the hopes are still entertained that the congress may meet

Nothing is developed about the feeling at Berlin only that Bismarck is going to his Lauenburg estates shortly unless detained by the Eastern question

It is stated that Russia is irritated by the rebuff from France The latter being approached for a separate recognition of the Treaty of San Stefano, replied that she would not participate in a combination against England

Latest advices from Constantinople say a strong conviction prevails at the Russian headquarters that an Anglo-Russian war is inevitable It is reported that Russia has offered to cancel the money indemnity and increase the Turkish powers over New Bulgaria as reward for an alliance, but these offers have not led to any result

The Grand Duke Nicholas held a reception of the diplomatic body Sunday The British and French Ambassadors sent their cards The Grand Duke returnes to his headquarters at San Stefano Wednesday

WASHINGTON D. C., April 2 —The House, this afternoon, by a vote of 118 to 79 decided to consider the report of of the Committee on Civil Service Reform, recommending that the office of doorkeeper be declared vacant Polk's friends rallied, and tried to defeat the motion to consider, but they were not as strong as they anticipated The vote indicates that Polk will have to go

The president to day nominated W C Howells, who is now Consul at Quebec, to be Consul at Toronto, Can, and John N Wasson, of Illinois, to be Consul at Quebec

CHAMPAIGN, Ill, April 2 —The faculty of the State University yesterday afternoon passed resolutions highly eulogistic of Hon W C. Flagg, deceased, who was a most valued member of the Board of Trustees of the university Dr Gregory pronounced a eulogy upon the character and deeds of Mr Flagg highly appreciative of both Mr. Flagg was one of the founders of the university, receiving his first appointment as a trustee from Governor Oglesby. He was buried yesterday from his home in Moro, Ill. His death has caused a profound regret among the special friends of the institution.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., April 2 —The Bank of Jacksonville, in this city, was robbed to day of $7.500 A man engaged the attention of the Cashier while a confederate entered the rear door, stepped into the vault, and secured the money.

WASHINGTON, April 2.—The personal adherents of Samuel J Tilden are in high spirits today over the passage, by the Maryland State Senate, last night, of Montgomery Blair's resolution directing the Attorney General of that State to appear before the Supreme Court of the United States and initiate proceedings in the matter of determining whether or not Mr. Hayes was properly counted in as President The resolution had previously passed the House of Delegates A gentleman who arrived here this morning from Annapolis says that Blair is very jubilant over the action of the legislature, and declares that Mr Hayes will be ousted from the Presidential chair within sixty days Attorney General Gavin, of Maryland, does not, however, take as hopeful view of the matter as Blair does, and says that he will be in no hurry to prepare his brief, inasmuch as Congress must first pass an act giving jurisdiction to the Supreme Court, and this must be approved by President Hayes, or allowed to become a law without his signature. The President's friends here are not greatly disturbed at these proceedings, but believe that a majority of the Democrats in the House are not favorable to re opening the presidential question The President himself regards Blair's action as merely intended to stir up a sectional strife without accomplishing anything. He feels annoyed, but does not for a moment believe that any considerable number of his political opponents are disposed to question his title to the high office that he now holds.

LONDON, April 2 -The Earl of Leitrim, his clerk and driver, were all shot dead, this morning, while driving near his lordship's lodge Manor Vaughan, county of Kerry No details of the shooting have come to hand

LATER —The Earl of Leitrim's body was found in a ditch The left side of his head is battered in It is thought he was also shot in the head, but the fatal shot was through his heart The left arm is broken, and the right completely shattered The driver and clerk were shot in the head The ground where the murder was committed showed traces of a hard struggle A fowling piece and part of another gun were found near the spot Three or four men were seen loitering in the neighborhood before the murder

LONDON, April 2 -The Earl of Leitrim was shot opposite the cottage from which he had recently evicted a widow Eighty nine of his tenants were under notice to quit

In the House of Commons, to night, Mr Lowther, under colonial secretary, confirmed the report of the shooting of Earl Leitrim, and said there was reason to suppose the crime was one of an agrarian character.

PARIS, Ill, April 2 The Circuit Court of Edgar county, for the March term, entered a few days since upon the criminal cases, of which there are a large number, several of them being murder cases and other cases of high crimes. For two days past McGee, of Vermillion, the noted abortionist, has been on trial, he having already served two terms in state's prison The case of James Halloway, for the murder of John Rafferty, last June, at Vermillion, excited much interest The jury, after a long session, acquitted him on the ground that the killing was in self defense. The two men had been at enmity, and had mutually threatened each other's life Rafferty, who was a constable, undertook, in a gentleman's parlor, to arrest Holloway, as he said, for carrying concealed weapons Holloway backed out of the room, and being pressed upon, shot Rafferty, killing him Both men had many friends

LONDON, April 2.—The Mark Lane *Express* says reports concerning the wheat plant from all parts of the kingdom continue satisfactory Country trade is steady but not active Provincial markets are scantily supplied with home grown grain Imports of foreign wheat into London have been liberal Russia is anxious to dispose of her produce, and with her and America competing, it is difficult to see whence the trade is to derive strength to enable prices to hold up Politics have once more monopolized the entire attention of the trade and with fair arrivals at ports of call, of floating cargoes, the trade for wheat is firm, owing to more unsettled state of political matters, and prices have advanced two to three shillings per quarter The continental demand continues Maize improved nine pence to a shilling per quarter Barley ruled firm at 6 pence per quarter advance

CHICAGO, April 2 -Midnight —At this hour few wards have sent in full returns, but from what is received it is evident that the council will loose some of its best members, and their places will be supplied with less creditable selections Out of eighteen wards, fifteen have been heard from with sufficient completeness to base an opinion upon In these, it seems that nine democrats, five republicans and one communist have been elected From the towns, the returns are even less decisive It is, however, pretty certain that the republicans have elected their ticket in south town, and the prospects favor a republican victory in north town, while west town is in doubt The friends of municipal reform are considerably disappointed at the result of the election of the council.

NEW YORK, April 2 The remains of Madam Restell, the suicide, were taken to Tarrytown to day for interment Only her relatives, counsel and servants attended the funeral.

Window Shades and Fixtures.—Full assortment at J. S. HAND & Co's,
March 6-d4w Next door to Postoffice

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MESSRS WEEKS & POTTER,—Sirs: I have practised Medicine for forty years, and have been a sufferer myself for twelve years with Catarrh in the nasal passages, throat and larynx. I have tried everything [illegible] pathists are very loth to do) I tried —— and divers others until I got hold of yours I followed the directions to the letter, and am happy to say have had a permanent cure Your RADICAL CURE is certainly a happy combination for the cure of that most unpleasant and dangerous of diseases.

Yours, respectfully, D. W. GRAY, M. D., Of Dr. D. W. Gray & Son, Physicians and Druggists, Muscatine, Iowa
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Each package of SANFORD'S RADICAL CURE contains Dr. Sanford's Improved Inhaling Tube with full directions for its use in all cases. Price $1 00 Sold by all wholesale and retail druggists and dealers throughout the United States and Canadas WEEKS & POTTER, General Agents and Wholesale Druggists, Boston, Mass.

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RUSH, ILL., April 18, 1877.
It has done my boy more good than all other medicines. He is now going to school, for the first time in three years.
ELIZA JANE DUFFIELD.

EMMA, ILL., April 4, 1877.
I like the one I got well. They are the best plasters, no doubt, in the world
B. L. MCGILL.

ASH GROVE, MO., March 22, 1877.
Accept my thanks for the good I derived from the two COLLINS' PLASTERS sent me some time ago.
W. C. MOORE.

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for local pains, lameness, soreness, weakness numbness, and inflammation of the lungs, liver, kidneys, spleen, bowels, bladder, heart, and muscles, is equal to an army of doctors and acres of plants and shrubs.

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LONDON, April 3 The *Times* in a leading editorial, says "The Government's conviction that the terms extorted from Turkey are inconsistent alike with the interests of England and Europe, will be sustained by the public opinion of the country"

A special from Constantinople says "The Russians, fearing the Turks will endeavor to maintain neutrality, M Onon, first dragoon of the Russian Embassy, has made the following demands, which may be regarded as an ultimatum Abandonment to the Russians of fortifications on both sides of the upper Bosphorus, and Gallipoli and Boulair on the Dardanelles The Turks are also to evacuate Makrikivi and Masluk and place some barracks and hospitals at the disposal of the Russians The Grand Duke Nicholas, last night, urged these demands upon Reouf Pasha and they will be submitted to the council It is said that the Sultan and Vefik Pasha oppose them."

A Constantinople special says the Russians have commenced a fresh movement towards Gallipoli. Russian troops north of the Balkans are being moved nearer the Danube The Russians are everywhere erecting fortifications

The semi official *Eastern Budget* prints the following special from Vienna "Gen Ignatieff was informed by this government that it requires certain alterations to be made in the peace preliminaries, and such alterations to be must be made with the concurrence of other powers. There is no prospect, therefore, of England being isolated, and the action of the Vienna Cabinet is calculated to promote the interests of peace."

A Vienna dispatch says It is announced that Gen. Ignatieff will return here after he has consulted Prince Gortschakoff on Austria's objections to the treaty"

A St. Petersburg correspondent telegraphs "It is admitted that Austria is not at all disposed to state clearly the price of her neutrality, recognizing the fact that war between Russia and England will enable her to dictate her own terms"

A St. Petersburg dispatch, and advices from Berlin and Vienna, mention some indications that Russia might desire to renew negotiations for a Congress, taking the treaty of Paris as a basis of discussion

A correspondent at Vienna, says "A dispatch from Count Von Beust, Austrian Ambassador at London, received here states that Lords Beaconsfield and Salisbury earnestly desire the maintenance of peace, but if Russia's attitude should render war a necessity, it will be carried on until resistance is crushed"

MONTREAL, April 2 —The demand for horses for England is increasing Several carloads are being taken over the Grand Trunk Railroad daily, destined for Europe They are intended for military service, and are branded with the letter S Large shipments of cattle are also being forwarded from the lower provinces, and the country, east and west, is being searched for suitable horses for war purposes

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New Tickings, Denims and Ducks,
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Ruchings, Ties and Bows,

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and Ladies' and Gent's FURNISHING GOODS Call and examine my prices before purchasing elsewhere. Remember the place—

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[illegible]

Lambrequins, Lace Curtains & Window Shades

[illegible]

ABEL & LOCKE,

EAST MAIN STREET.

March 27, 1878 d&wtf

Call on Bishop & Sloy to buy or trade for a new cook stove cheaper than can be had anywhere else Southeast corner of the city park [March 29 dtf

Leave Orders at Abel & Locke's extensive carpet store for whitewashing also trimming, patching, plastering and repairing cisterns All orders promptly attended to STANTON FIELDS
Feb 11 dtf

Montgomery & Co. are now receiving their spring stock of Boots and Shoes latest styles, and prices to suit the times Call and examine First door east of the Postoffice mar15 d1mo

Pianos and Organs for rent at A B Prescott's f b26 d&wtf

S. Einstein is selling 16 yards of the best Prints for $1 00 mar27 d1w

Buckskin Cassimeres, the best and cheapest goods in the market for men and boys, at LINN & SCRUGGS
Nov 19 d&wtf

A Few Fine Cloaks still on hand that will be closed at a great bargain
Jan 22 dtf LINN & SCRUGGS

For Rent. A dwelling house with six rooms, in nice condition, within a stone's throw of the REPUBLICAN office
Enquire of R N HAM
March 19—dtf

The New Departure in cigars is $75 a thousand, $7 50 a hundred, $3 75 for 50 or two for 15 cents, for the celebrated hand-made Havana cigar "Tansill's Gen Custer" Try them, and you will buy no more scrap-filled brands
HUBBARD & SWEARINGEN

The Best White Shirts in the city at one dollar at Linn & Scruggs'
Jan 30 d&wtf

Nobby Those new shoes at Barber & Baker's [illegible] you buy f b25 d&wtf

Newest Patterns of Smith's ENGLISH Tapestry Ingrains $1 00 per yard at
Dec 21 d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS

A large lot of Hamburg Edging just received and very cheap at
Feb 16 78 d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS

The Old Dominion Buck Gloves and Mitts the best and cheapest in America [illegible] LINN & SCRUGGS
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The Patent Corset Comforts Button Stays, Boy's Supporters, Mowdy's Abdominal Glove Fitting Hundred Bones together with the best and cheapest French Corsets in the city, at
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Spring Styles of gents fine shoes just received at BARBER & BAKER's
Feb 27 d&wtf

Something About Shoddy Goods. At all accounts agree that there has been an unusual demand for cheaply made or shoddy goods it is a very short sighted policy for people to buy goods that are tricked out for deception and are no wear to them We advise you to go to Barber & Baker's and get good durable boots and shoes and you will get the worth of your money. Feb 16 d&wtf

S. Einstein is selling the best bleached Muslin 10 yards for $1 00
March 27 d1w

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CITY DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE.

There will be a meeting of the temperance voters of the first ward this (Wednesday) evening at half past 7 o'clock, at No 3 hose house, for the transaction of important business It will be to the interest of every temperance man in the ward to attend this meeting

Go to Cheap Charley's for an eye opener. d&w

PRAYER meetings at all the churches this evening, to which the public are cordially invited.

ADJOURNED meeting of the city council to-morrow night, at which time it is expected that the appointments will be made

BABY CARRIAGES cheaper than ever before, at J M Stookey & Co's
March 29-d1m

Be sure and go to Bishop & Stoy's when you want wall paper, as they have a fine stock and sell cheap

THE 'Alligator' is just the stove for summer, it cooks with but little fuel

FOR fresh bread and warm rolls go to McRoberts' bakery, southeast of the park

Now that the election is fairly over we will have a little rest from the excitement attendant upon canvassing and caucusing

A FREIGHT train of about seventy cars went west this morning about 7 o'clock It seemed to be nearly a half mile in length

'UNCLE' DAVY MARTIN, the lime man, is putting up a commodious office on the south end of his warehouse between Cerro Gordo street and the Wabash rail road track

DEMOCRATIC candidates are getting as thick as musquitoes in August and they are evidently as thirsty for office as musquitoes are for blood

TEMPERANCE meetings are still kept up in the country, and they are generally very fully attended The people in the rural districts are much in earnest for the suppression of the whisky trade, for the reason that so many young men from the country are ruined by it

DR. I B CURTIS has presented to the High School museum a pair of ears cut from the head of the *Lepus Callotis* better known among sportsmen on the frontier as the "jack rabbit"

IT is gratifying to be assured that the *Sun* man has finally discovered where Ald Durfee stands on the license question—a subject on which his friends and neighbors have been pretty thoroughly posted these many years

CHOICE PROPERTY—We desire to call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of H B Durfee in to-day's paper The property includes some of the choicest in the city, as well as first class farming lands, and the inducements offered should, and doubtless will attract general attention

HOUSE MOVED—Mr R J Roberts the house mover has removed the dwelling formerly occupied by James Millikin Esq at the corner of William and Edward streets, to the corner of William and College streets where it is to be fitted up as a residence It is the property of M L L Haworth, who, it is supposed, will soon erect a fine residence on the site from which the house was taken

FUNERAL OF HENRY LEHMAN—The funeral of Mr Henry Lehman, of Hickory took place yesterday Religious services were held at the residence by Rev D P Bunn, who delivered an interesting and impressive discourse on the occasion The remains were brought to this city for interment, and were met near the outskirts of town by a delegation of the Masonic fraternity, by whom the body was taken in charge and taken to Greenwood Cemetery where the burial took place according to the rites and ceremonies of the order

See what the druggists say about Marshall's Lung Syrup 'It never fails to cure the worst cough or cold promptly and effectually Price only 25 cents a bottle Sold by all druggists
April 3-d&w1w

Largest and best stock of spring goods and lowest prices at Ferriss shoe store

DECATUR PHILOSOPHICAL CLUB—The association held its regular meeting last night, on which occasion the semi-annual election of officers took place The following named gentlemen were elected

President—Dr W. L Walston
Vice President—Prof. E. A Gastman
Secretary—J O. Lambaugh
Treasurer—A Kornmyer
Cor Secretary—Dr S G. Bumstead
Literary Critic—Rev N S Haynes
Scientific Critic—Dr. E P Bartlett

Interesting addresses were made by Dr Sullivan Burgess, the retiring president, Prof. Gastman, and others. We understand that this society is in a prosperous and growing condition, and that the number of members has so increased that more [illegible] will soon be needed.

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DECATUR TOWNSHIP ELECTION.

The annual township election which took place yesterday called out but a light vote, the whole number cast being only 1,966. The election was unusually quiet and orderly, and as a remarkable fact it is worthy of note that scarcely a man was seen intoxicated during the day

The officers of the meeting were given yesterday, and their names need not be repeated The count of the vote was completed quite early this morning, and below may be found the result, as given to us by the clerks of the election

For Supervisor

E McNabb,	828
Augustus A Murray,	755

Assistant Supervisors

David S Shellabarger,	912
Benjamin Dill,	856
George Priest,	634
David Garver,	406

Assessor

J M Lowry,	529
Fred J Smith,	479
James C Campbell,	434
Enoch G Tucker,	70
John Lindsay,	35

Collector

William W Foster,	900
J R McDonald,	686

Town Clerk

Geo P Hardy,	978
I D Walker,	611

Commissioner of Highways

Henry Ebert,	894
James Fowler,	709

Poundmaster

Horace Davenport,	940
James C Walsh,	655

WHEATLAND ELECTION.

Supervisor

Hiram Ward,	150
C E Connard	41
Wm B Smith	1

Town Clerk

F P Russell	125
G S Connard	67

Assessor

Cornelius Morris	134
Jos M Dawson	54

Collector

Thomas Hill	120
L R Stickel	65

Commissioner

J N Odor	144
Wm Deakins	49

Justice of the Peace

Wm B Smith	141
Wm F Martin	47
Henry Wilson	1

THE NEW BOARD.

The board of supervisors of Macon county for the coming year will be composed as follows

Decatur—E McNabb, Benjamin Dill, David S Shellabarger
Mt Zion W H Wallace
Hinel E I Roberts
Hickory—P F Johnson
Maroa—John Longstreet
Macon R H Woodcock
Harristown—J N Hoyt
Niantic A C Elgar
Friends Creek I W Brown
Pleasant View—F House
Wheatland—Hiram Ward
Long Creek A T Davis
Whitmore—C H Garver
Blue Mound—R H Hill
Oakley Herman Manecke
Austin—Andrew Hawkyard
Milam W E Kyker

PERSONAL.

We have neglected to notice the arrival of Miss Laura Smith, daughter of Hon E O Smith, of San Jose California Miss Smith left home early last week, and reached here on Sunday night She expects to spend the summer among her relatives here She brought with her 200 named shells from the Pacific, as a present to Prof Gastman from his former schoolmate, Prof H B Norton of the California State Normal School The collection will be placed for the present in the High School Museum

Jack D Wright, Esq, of Petersburg, Menard county, called at the REPUBLICAN office this morning, in company with Hon S S Jack Mr W is to be a candidate before the Democratic convention for nomination as clerk of the appellate court in this district

C F Emery Esq of Maroa, is in the city to-day and as usual is full of business

Mr J S Stoy, formerly of this city, but who has been living in Monticello for the last few years, is about to return to Decatur with his family He will carry on a general tailoring business in a room over Stine's clothing store, in Central Block

Mr B W Dickenson, formerly agent of the Wabash at Decatur is now located at Quincy, where he is general agent of the Blue Line

Dr E P Bartlett returned to-day from a trip to Ohio after an absence of a few days

[illegible] Tait, Esq, of the law firm of [illegible] & Tait, left this morning for [illegible] and St. Louis [illegible] about three days [illegible] on important legal business

MARRIED.

By Judge S. F G[illegible] on the evening of Tu[illegible] JOHN P McLAUGHLIN and [illegible] STRACKER, both of Cerro Gordo [illegible] county

Prices to suit the times for wall-paper at J. S. Hand & Co's april-1dw

Day Boarders Wanted—Apply at the northeast corner of West Main and [illegible] streets. Mrs. J. A. Barbury

[illegible]

A STEADY GROWTH.

The subscription list of the REPUBLICAN is in a thriving condition, as will be seen by the following list of new subscriptions and renewals, all of which have been received since our last showing. Quite a proportion of the names in this list are new subscribers.

J. B Garvin
[illegible]
A. L. Palmer,
F H Shaffer,
James Delaney, Warrensburg
J. H. Bower, Cisco.
I. O. Bowman, Harristown
Myron Holcomb, Topeka, Kansas
Peter Troutman,
F R Eakins, Macon.
D W Trimmer, Hickory
S P Drake, Friends Creek
J N. Hoyt, Harristown.
J T Markley, Long Creek
Humphrey & Son, Decatur
J E. Sipe, Puyallup, Washington Ter
A. J Miller, Johnson Station, Texas
Martin Holman, Hickory
R F Osborn, Macon
N Drake, Argenta.
Edward Dodwell, Decatur.
Matthias Eckert,
J. F. Craig, Philomont, Va.
[illegible], Pleasant Valley, Iowa
T M Taylor, Decatur
Samuel [illegible], Pen Run, Pa.
N [illegible], Blue Mound
W. K. [illegible], Harristown
Levi Kindley, Wellington, Kan
N J Black, Mt Zion
Robert Careins, Mt Zion
Joshua [illegible] Banks, Harristown
Dr W T Sylvester Arcola
R F McDonald, Long Creek
J. H. Pickrell, Harristown
W. J. Hamron,
E A Barnwell, Cerro Gordo
P L VanCleve Niantic
J W [illegible], Friends Creek
R M [illegible]
Mrs D. Miller, Newman, Ill
[illegible], Harristown
Jos D McGuire,
E H Howell Long Creek
Robert Filson, Harristown,

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the Post-office, at Decatur, Macon co, Illinois, April 3, 1878.

Bloomer D F	Leninger W H
Boyer Miss Lizzie	Melsson Chas
Baker W	Miller Harvil
Carter A C	Miller Laura
Cotter Miss Flora	McKeowen Willie
Carroll Jennie	Owen C
Cornell Ramsey	Rutherford Geo
Desper Mrs Amanda	Richardson Ibe
Edwards Hough	Stroh Beat
Gilmore Wm B	Somers W B
House Mat	Tarter R D
Ivens John T	Tay James W
Kepler Miss Alice	Warnick Mrs Ava
Kidwell Jacob	Wilson Miss Mary
Kelly John	Thompson Minnie
Love William	

R P LYTLE Postmaster

COMPLIMENTARY.

The members of the election board at the election of Decatur township, held April 2, 1878, desire to return their unanimous thanks to Mrs Henry Holmes of the American House for the bountiful repast furnished them to commend the choice viands, and testify to the very low price charged for meals, far superior to first class hotel fare

[Signed] M B THOMAS, Mod
W J USREY, Judge
D BROCKWAY, "
D I HUGHES, "
H P CHRISTIE, Clerk
C E PEAKE, "

INCURRING A TREMENDOUS RISK.

They incur a tremendous risk who neglect a [illegible] sourge The danger to bilious subjects and to those who [illegible], is particularly serious [illegible] agent of well-known [illegible] should be [illegible] kept at hand by such persons; and [illegible] with such certainty of protection [illegible] as Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. [illegible] specific roots out every [illegible] poison from the [illegible] it within amount of [illegible] power that [illegible] It also prevents [illegible] the stomach, bowels and liver, which are particularly [illegible]
April [illegible]

Opera Glasses, [illegible]
[illegible]
Nickel Silver Spectacles [illegible]
Celluloid Eye Glasses [illegible]
At A. F. JENSON'S
Apr 3-d1w 16 East Main st

Workingmen! look to your interests, and save doctor bills by using Dr Marshall's Lung Syrup for all cases of coughs, colds, etc. Price only 25 cents a bottle Sold by all druggists.
April 3 d&w1w

Never Known to Fail.

Dr Morris' Syrup of Tar, Wild Cherry and Horehound has never been known to fail in permanently curing obstinate coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, nor any disease of the respiratory organs and it does it, too, AT ONCE It is not necessary to take it for a long time before you can discover its beneficial effects—Its sale in this community is immense and its popularity universal It should not be classed with compounds put up by inexperienced hands. Do not fail to give this great and potent remedy a trial It will not and cannot disappoint you. Try it once Trial size 10 cents Regular sizes 50 cents and One Dollar For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner, druggist, Decatur

Also agent for Prof. Parker's Pleasant Worm Syrup which never fails. Pleasant to take and requires no physic Price 25 cents.
April 1-1m d&w

DECATUR GASLIGHT & COKE CO.—The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Decatur Gaslight & Coke Co will be held at the office of said company, on Thursday, April 4th, 1878, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m and 2 p m, for the purpose of electing a board of directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before it. B. K. DURFEE, Sec'y.
March 20-d[illegible]

[illegible] Gen. Custer [illegible]

For the Republican SPRING.

By James Reed Dills

Spring like a bright coquette hath come again,
She lures me on with many a witching hint
Cast round, as soft she hies—Oh! sweet delight!
A carpet fresh of velvet-tufted green,
She spreads for me, o'er hills, in secret vales,
And sinuous meadow-lanes—upon the grove
She hangs a garlandry of clustering leaves,
With bloom oft interspersed; with lightsome tread
I follow far the merry virgin green,
Tranced in the sunny smiles that glow upon
Her cloudless face; the wanton zephyrs soft
That love to dally with her flower-deck'd robes,
Waft to my sense sweet fragrance exquisite, If
And whisper secrets to the post dear
Ah! rapturous bursts of music wildly sweet!
Caprićious liquid laughter! these I hear
O Spring! thy charms are matchless!—stay!
oh stay!
And let my senses in thy presence be
Still weave thy spells,—till I all else forget
The world of selfish greed, toil, strife, and care
Still yield thy beauties, day long, and at eve
While still our souls shall mingle let me spy
Thy conscious blushes! which the night may hide,
But morn renew swift deepning, when it shows
Me with thee amorous-eyed, O siren queen!
Decatur, Ills, April 1, 1878

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

As Filed from March 25th, 1878.

[Furnished by Warren & Durfee Real Estate and Insurance Agents]

Oct 4, 77 Catherine E and G W Baker to Lorine Race, warranty $3,000, lots 11 and 12, block 8, Western addition

March 26, 78, Hannah and Charles W Barber to J C Hostetler, warranty $2400, north half nw qr sec 16, town 14, range 3 east

March 26 78 J C Hostetler to Charles W Barber, quit claim $2400, same

Dec 1 '70 Jasper N Wood to same, warranty $1440, south half nw qr sec 16, town 14 range 3 east

March 27, '78, Ebenezer McNabb to Julia A Haworth, warranty $700, lot 1, block 6, Western addition

March 4, 78, Elijah Coombe to Young P Jones, warranty $100, four acres in the se qr of sec 35 town 16, range 2 east

March 26, '78, Susannah and William S Morthland to trustees of town 16, range 2 east quit claim $845, 1½ acres in the nw qr of sec 18, town 16 range 2 east

March 13, '78, Sam'l Ritchie to Barbara Wells warranty $100, part nw qr ne qr sec 14 town 17 range 1 east

May 21, '75, Levi and Fairazina Abernathy to Wm J Rollins, warranty $45, lot 2 in the se qr sw qr of sec 10, town 16, range 2 east

March 28, '78, Samuel M Strailey to John P Martin quit claim $1000, lot 9 block 4 Bandy's addition, and the west half of lot 2, in block 8, Allen McReynold's & Co's addition

Mar 28, 78, John P Martin to Michael Troutman, quit claim $1900, lot 9, block 4, Bandy's addition.

THE LONGEST LINE OF THROUGH SLEEPING CARS IN THE WORLD

Time Less than Forty-Three Hours between St Louis and Boston

The new line of through Palace Sleeping Cars between St Louis and Boston running over the Wabash, Canada Southern, [illegible] Hoosac Tunnel Railways, will commence running regularly Monday, April 1

The first sleeper eastward leaving St Louis on train No 2, at 6 40 p m Monday and the first sleeper westward leaving Boston at 1 00 p m same day, passing over the Wabash R y on train No 3

YOU MUST CURE THAT COUGH

With Shiloh's Consumption Cure you can cure yourself It has established the fact that Consumption can be cured, while for Coughs, Bronchitis, Whooping Cough, Asthma, and all diseases of Throat and Lungs, it is absolutely without an equal Two doses will relieve your child of Croup, it is pleasant to take and perfectly harmless to the youngest child, and no mother can afford to be without it—You can use two-thirds of a bottle and if what we say is not true we will refund the price paid Price 10 cts, 50 cts, and $1 00 per bottle If your lungs are sore or chest or back lame, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by Dr A J Stoner, Decatur, Ill.
Feb 26-d&weot

Have you Dyspepsia, are you constipated, have you a Yellow Skin, Loss of Appetite, Head Ache—if so don't fail to use SHILOH'S SYSTEM VITALIZER It is guaranteed to relieve you, and will you continue to suffer when you can be cured on such terms as these? Price 10 cts and 75 cts Sold by Dr A J Stoner, Decatur Illinois [Feb 26-d&weot

Wells' Persian Perfume, 'HACKMETACK' is rich and fragrant Try it Sold by Dr. A. J. Stoner, Decatur, Ill.
Feb. 26-d&weot

Loans—I am prepared to negotiate loans—private funds. [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] with London toe French toe, New York toe or box toe, the largest assortment in the city at BARBER & BARTH'S

[illegible]

Fresh Stock of Wall-Paper just received at J S, Hand & Co,'s
March 6—ddw

Notice.—As I wish to retire from the Jewelry business, I will sell my entire Stock, consisting of Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Silver and Plated Ware, Musical Instruments, &c, &c, at first cost, for cash only All desiring anything in my line may be convinced that I mean what I say, by giving me a call.
J. L. Kaframa,
24 Merchant St., Decatur, Ill
Jan11 d&wtf

Farmers save your money by buying the South Plow. A. A. MURRAY
march 14-w1w

[illegible] of Ladies' Ties of the [illegible] received, at [illegible]
March 27—d1w B EINSTEIN'S

P. T. Locke, the Music Man, says:

Having been appointed General Western Manager of the business of Billings & Co, (Piano manufacturers of New York,) I have opened an office and warerooms in Opera Block, where I shall be pleased to meet all my old friends and many new ones We shall make a specialty of our own piano, (Billings & Co,) and the Packard Organ, instruments which are well and favorably known For the next thirty days we will make some special prices, which interested parties can obtain by calling and asking We shall do a wholesale and retail business, the former being our specialty If you will call and examine our goods and get our prices, you will find that this card means *just what it says* We shall be pleased to have you call and examine our new styles of pianos and organs, even if you do not wish to purchase Remember *special* prices for thirty days

Yours respectfully,
P T LOCKE.
ddw2 Gen'l Western Manager.

A GENTLE HINT

In our style of climate, with its sudden changes of temperature,—rain, wind and sunshine often intermingled in a single day—it is no wonder that our children, friends and relatives are so frequently taken from us by neglected colds half the deaths resulting directly from this cause A bottle of Boschee's German Syrup kept about your home for immediate use will prevent serious sickness, a large doctor's bill and perhaps death, by the use of three or four doses For curing Consumption Hemorrhages, Pneumonia, Severe Coughs, Croup or any disease of the Throat or Lungs, its success is simply wonderful, as your druggist will tell you German Syrup is now sold in every town and village on this continent Sample bottles for trial, 10c, regular size, 75c
Jan 29—d&w3m cow

No more scraps or doctored tobacco for smokers, when you can buy the celebrated hand made brand, "Tansill's Gen Custer," at two for 15 cents To get them seasoned you must buy a box, since the manufacturers cannot fill their orders with seasoned goods
HUBBARD & SWEARINGEN
March 8 dtf

Valuable Real Estate!

H. B. DURFEE,

Office with Warren & Durfee.

A SNUG RESIDENCE,

With three rooms, on a good lot in the north part of the city, for sale at $8.75 per month, till paid for and a few years rent will pay for a home H B DURFEE

A NICE LITTLE RESIDENCE,

On the corner lot by the Mound on West North street, for sale on monthly payments, a good opportunity for a man of small family to lay the foundation for a valuable home H B DURFEE

TWENTY LOTS,

On South Water street three blocks from the center of business and fronting on both sides of the street cheap for cash or on monthly payments H B DURFEE

THIRTY CHOICE LOTS,

Second block north of the Wabash Railway, east side of Water street, and fronting on Water Durfee Marietta and Bradford streets, just thrown out to commons Give these lots a look they are for sale cheap, there is money in them, and now is the time for getting the pick H B DURFEE

SIX GOOD LOTS,

On and west of the Mound on North street a very desirable neighborhood for residence. Terms to suit purchasers H B DURFEE

EIGHT LOTS,

South of my residence, in the northwest part of the city good lots in a good neighborhood, and the cheapest lots in the city Any industrious man can soon own a lot by making small monthly payments better than depositing in a savings bank H B DURFEE

HALF ACRE LOTS,

Acre lots, two acre lots, up to five or ten acre lots, in the vicinity of my residence, either for cash or on long time a very beautiful part of the city for ornamental homes, and yet convenient for all practical purposes of a city residence H B DURFEE

When you get ready to look at city property I shall take pleasure in showing you what I have for sale I am offering nothing except what I am directly interested in, and a large portion of which I am the sole owner.

Outside of the City of Decatur I am offering for sale good lots in Cerro Gordo, and one-half to five-acre lots adjoining, and a farm just across the county line, in Piatt county, all adjoining the town of Cerro Gordo, thirteen miles east of Decatur in the midst of a beautiful and well-improved district of country with good schools and good churches and one of the best towns on the Wabash Railway
April 2 dtf H B DURFEE

The Steinway Piano!

CHICKERING & SON'S
SQUARE AND UPRIGHT PIANOS
The Geo. Steck & Co. Piano,
The Mathushek Piano,
The J. & C. Fisher Piano,
The Von Minden Piano
THE MASON & HAMLIN
Cabinet Organ!
The Peloubet, Pelton & Co.'s
STANDARD ORGAN,
(with Charming "Campanella" Stop),
AND THE
NATIONAL ORGAN,
can be seen tried, compared and bought at the VERY LOWEST FIGURES, at
J. GOLDSTEIN'S
Music Store,
NO. 4 WATER ST
Dec 22 dtf Decatur Illinois

NEW SPRING GOODS

JUST RECEIVED,

AND EVERY DAY WILL ADD TO OUR PRESENT ASSORTMENT

THE CHOICEST NOVELTIES

THE MARKET AFFORDS

LINN & SCRUGGS

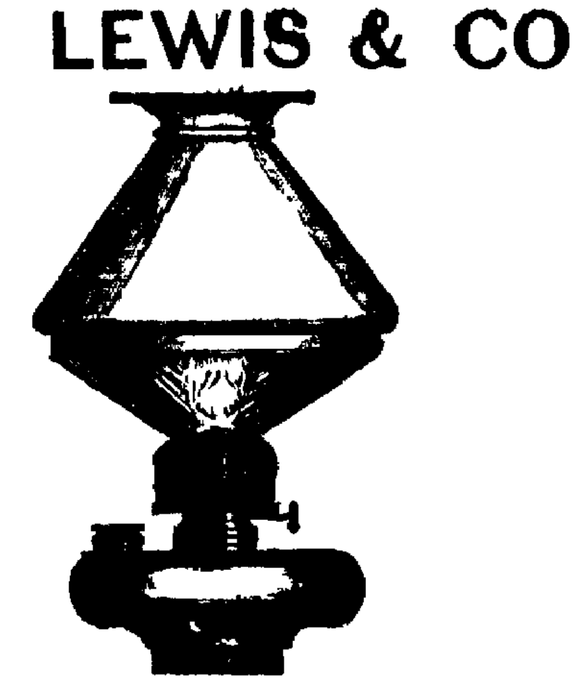
March 1878.

SUPPLIES AND ATTACHMENTS

FOR ALL MACHINES.

SEWING MACHINES REPAIRED
—AT THE—
SINGER OFFICE!
Opposite the Post Office.
GEO. P. BLUME.

J. H. LEWIS & CO.



THE CRYSTAL ILLUMINATOR.

The Most Economical Light in Use.

A PERFECT LIGHT—NO CHIMNEY NEEDED.

No Smoke or Disagreeable Odor- Easily Lighted or Extinguished.

After a *thorough test* of the Illuminator in lighting our store we recommend it for either stores, public buildings or private dwellings and guarantee it to give satisfaction

We also keep a Superior Quality of COAL OIL.

J H LEWIS & CO.,
March 11, 78, dtf Opera House Block

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

BETTER TIMES FOR THE PEOPLE.

New Arrival
—OF—
FRESH GROCERIES!
—AT—
PRATT'S STORE
No. 37 North Church Street.
CALL AND LEARN OUR PRICES.

We mean business, and we are ready for business at all times Our stock is large It is carefully selected, it is bought for cash and the prices at which we sell our Goods are the lowest at which a fair and honest business can be conducted [mar12-d&w1mo

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, } ss
In the Circuit Court, May Term, A D 1878
Abraham Bohen and Joseph Bohen, partners as Bohen Bros, & Co, complainants, vs. Isaac Harper and the Savings Fund, Building and Loan Association defendants—In Chancery

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence in this state of Isaac Harper, defendant in the above-entitled cause having been filed in the office of the clerk of the said Macon County Circuit Court, you, the said Isaac Harper, are [illegible] holden at the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said county of Macon, on the second Monday in the month of May, A. D. 1878, and plead, answer or demur to said bill, the same will be taken as confessed and a decree entered according to the prayer thereof.
E McCLELLAN Clerk
JAMES C LAKE Solicitor for Complainant
April 2, 1878-d4w

The Great Popularity of the 'Old Dominion" Buck Gloves and Gauntlets has induced parties, both in Decatur and surrounding towns, to sell inferior gloves under this name None are genuine unless stamped "Geo Ott" on the inside, and to be had only of
Oct 2—d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS

A Good Cigar costs the smoker no more than a picayune, now that Hubbard & Swearingen sell 'Tansill's Gen Custer' at 2 for 15 cents

Five pieces Tinware for One Dollar, at Bishop & Stoy's [March 29 dtf

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, } ss
Macon County Circuit Court
Augustus Harpstrite vs. [illegible] Fon [illegible]

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December term, A D 1877, I, John A. Brown Master in Chancery for said court, on

Friday the 19th day of April, A D 1878

at the hour of two o'clock p m. of said day shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, at the north door of the court house, Decatur in said county the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, to wit Lot No eight (8), in block No. one (1) in the Rolling Mill Addition to the city of Decatur, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging Said premises will be sold subject to redemption
Decatur Ill, March 27th, 1878
JOHN A BROWN
Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill
[illegible] Solicitor for Complt.
March 27 d[illegible]

FURNISHED ROOMS FOR RENT,

WITH OR WITHOUT BOARD,

2nd House South of the Bethel Church, on North Water Street.

March 28 d1mo S. P. HAGAN

WANTED.

A BLACKSMITH at Casner Station None but a good workman need apply, a single man preferred Apply to
L. B. CASNER,
h 21 dtf Casner Ill

DIVORCE NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, } ss
In the circuit court to the May Term, A.D 1878
John Wade vs Anna Wade Divorce

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence in the State of Illinois of the above-named defendant, Anna Wade, having been filed in the clerk's office of said circuit court, you, the said Anna Wade are hereby notified that a cause entitled as above has been commenced and is now pending in said circuit court, and that summons therein has been issued, returnable to the next term of said court, and unless you shall be and appear on the first day of the said next term of said court, to be held at the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the second Monday in the month of May, A. D. 1878, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint filed in said cause, the same and the matters therein stated and set forth will be taken for confessed against you, and a decree rendered in accordance with the prayer thereof
E. McCLELLAN, Clerk
I A. BUCKINGHAM, Solicitor for Compl't.
April 2, 1878 d4w

FOR SALE

In consequence of [illegible] from the city, I will [illegible] in town and [illegible] house in good [illegible] 6 rooms, [illegible] Also [illegible] horse and buggy.
Oct. [illegible] JNO. W. [illegible]

The Daily Republican.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, APRIL 3, 1878.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE.

There will be a meeting of the temperance voters of the first ward this (Wednesday) evening at half-past 7 o'clock, at No 3 hose house, for the transaction of important business. It will be to the interest of every temperance man in the ward to attend this meeting

Go to Cheap Charley's for an eye opener. d&w

PRAYER meetings at all the churches this evening, to which the public are cordially invited.

ADJOURNED meeting of the city council to-morrow night, at which time it is expected that the appointments will be made

BABY CARRIAGES cheaper than ever before, at J M Stookey & Co's

March 20-d1m

Be sure and go to Bishop & Stoy's when you want wall paper, as they have a fine stock, and sell cheap

THE "Alligator" is just the store for summer, it cooks with but little fuel

FOR fresh bread and warm rolls go to McRoberts' bakery, southeast of the park

Now that the election is fairly over we will have a little rest from the excitement attendant upon canvassing and caucusing

A FREIGHT train of about seventy cars went west this morning about 7 o'clock It seemed to be nearly a half mile in length

"UNCLE" DAVY MARTIN, the line man, is putting up a commodious office on the south end of his warehouse, between Cerro Gordo street and the Wabash railroad track

DEMOCRATIC candidates are getting as thick as musquitoes in August, and they are evidently as thirsty for office as musquitoes are for blood

TEMPERANCE meetings are still kept up in the country, and they are generally very fully attended The people in the rural districts are much in earnest for the suppression of the whisky trade, for the reason that so many young men from the country are ruined by it

DR. I B CURTIS has presented to the High School museum a pair of ears cut from the head of the *Lepus Callotis* better known among sportsmen on the frontier as the "jack rabbit"

IT is gratifying to be assured that the Sun man has finally discovered where Ald Durfee stands on the license question—a subject on which his friends and neighbors have been pretty thoroughly posted these many years

CHOICE PROPERTY — We desire to call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of H B Durfee, in to-day's paper The property includes some of the choicest in the city, as well as first class farming lands, and the inducements offered should, and doubtless will attract general attention

HOUSE MOVED —Mr R J Roberts the house mover has removed the dwelling formerly occupied by James Millikin Esq at the corner of William and Edward streets, to the corner of William and College streets where it is to be fitted up as a residence It is the property of M L L Haworth, who, it is supposed, will soon erect a fine residence on the site from which the house was taken

FUNERAL OF HENRY LEHMAN – The funeral of Mr Henry Lehman, of Hickory, took place yesterday Religious services were held at the residence by Rev D P Bunn, who delivered an interesting and impressive discourse on the occasion The remains were brought to this city for interment, and were met near the outskirts of town by a delegation of the Masonic fraternity, by whom the body was taken in charge and borne to Greenwood Cemetery, where the burial took place according to the rites and ceremonies of the order

See what the druggists say about Dr Marshall's Lung Syrup "It never fails to cure the worst cough or cold promptly and effectually Price only 25 cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists

April 3-d&w1w

Largest and best stock of spring goods and lowest prices at Ferriss shoe store

DECATUR PHILOSOPHICAL CLUB —The association held its regular meeting last night, on which occasion the semi-annual election of officers took place The following named gentlemen were elected

President—Dr W. L. Walston
Vice President—Prof. E. A Gastman
Secretary—J D. Lambaugh
Treasurer—A. Korsmyer.
Cor. Secretary—Dr S G. Bumstead
Literary Critic—Rev. N S Haynes
Scientific Critic—Dr. E P. Bartlett

Interesting addresses were made by Dr. Sullivan Burgess, the retiring president, Prof. Gastman, and others. We understand that this society is in a prosperous and growing condition, and that the number of members has so increased that more room will soon be needed.

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DECATUR TOWNSHIP ELECTION.

The annual township election which took place yesterday called out but a light vote, the whole number cast being only 1,366. The election was unusually quiet and orderly, and as a remarkable fact it is worthy of note that scarcely a man was seen intoxicated during the day

The officers of the meeting were given yesterday, and their names need not be repeated The count of the vote was completed quite early this morning, and below may be found the result, as given to us by the clerks of the election:

For Supervisor	
E McNabb,	828
Augustus A Murray,	755
Assistant Supervisors	
David S Shellabarger,	912
Benjamin Dill,	856
George Priest,	634
David Garver,	406
Assessor	
J M. Lowry,	829
Fred J Smith,	479
James C Campbell,	484
Enoch G Tucker,	70
John Lindsay,	35
Collector	
William W Foster,	900
J B McDonald,	660
Town Clerk	
Geo P Hardy,	978
I D Walker,	611
Commissioner of Highways	
Henry Ebert,	894
James Fowler,	709
Poundmaster	
Horace Davenport,	940
James C Walsh,	655

WHEATLAND ELECTION.

Supervisor	
Hiram Ward.	150
C E Connard	41
Wm B Smith	1
Town Clerk	
F P Russell	125
G S Connard	67
Assessor	
Cornelius Morris	134
Jos M Dawson	54
Collector	
Thomas Hill	120
L R Stickel,	65
Commissioner	
J N Odor	144
Wm Deakins	49
Justice of the Peace	
Wm B Smith	143
Wm F Martin	47
Henry Wilson	1

THE NEW BOARD.

The board of supervisors of Macon county for the coming year will be composed as follows

Decatur—E McNabb, Benjamin Dill, David S Shellabarger.
Mt Zion W H Wallace
Hind E I Roberts
Hickory—P F Leinster
Maroa—John Longstreet
Macon R H Woodcock
Harristown—J N Hoyt
Niantic A C Edgar
Friends Creek J W Brown
Pleasant View—F House
Wheatland—Hiram Ward
Long Creek A T Davis
Whitmore—C H Garver
Blue Mound—R H Hill
Oakley Herman Manecke
Austin—Andrew Hawkyard
Milam W E Kyker

PERSONAL.

We have neglected to notice the arrival of Miss Laura Smith, daughter of Hon E O Smith, of San Jose California Miss Smith left home early last week, and reached here on Sunday night She expects to spend the summer among her relatives here She brought with her 200 named shells from the Pacific, as a present to Prof Gastman from his former schoolmate, Prof H B Norton of the California State Normal School The collection will be placed for the present in the High School Museum

Jack D Wright, Esq, of Petersburg, Menard county, called at the REPUBLICAN office this morning, in company with Hon S S Jack Mr W is to be a candidate before the Democratic convention for nomination as clerk of the appellate court in this district

C F Emery Esq of Maroa, is in the city to-day, and, as usual is full of business

Mr J S Stoy, formerly of this city, but who has been living in Monticello for the last few years, is about to return to Decatur with his family He will carry on a general tailoring business in a room over Stine's clothing store, in Central Block.

Mr B W Dickenson, formerly agent of the Wabash at Decatur is now located at Quincy, where he is general agent of the Blue Line

Dr E P. Bartlett returned to day from a trip to Ohio, after an absence of a few days

[illegible] Tait, Esq, of the [illegible] & Tait, left this morning for [illegible] and St. Louis, [illegible] about three days [illegible] important legal business

MAR[illegible]

By Judge S. F Gr[illegible] on the evening of Tu[illegible] JOHN P MCLAUGHLIN [illegible] STROCKER, both of Cerro Gordo, [illegible] county.

Prices to suit the times for wall-paper at J. S. Hand & Co's. april-1dw

Day Boarders Wanted.—Apply at the [illegible] corner of West Main and [illegible] streets. Mrs. J. A. [illegible]

[illegible]

A STEADY GROWTH.

The subscription list of the REPUBLICAN is in a thriving condition, as will be seen by the following list of new subscriptions and renewals, all of which have been received since our last showing Quite a proportion of the names in this list are new subscribers

J. B Garvin,
[illegible]
A. L. Paine,
F H Shaffer,
James Delaney, Warrensburg.
J. M. Bower, Cisco.
I. O. Bowman, Harristown
Myron Holcomb, Topeka, Kansas
Peter Troutman, " "
F R Eakins, Macon.
D W Trimmer, Hickory
S P Drake, Friends Creek
J N. Hoyt, Harristown.
J T. Markley, Long Creek.
Humphrey & Son, Decatur
J. E. Sipe, Puyallup, Washington Ter.
A. J. Miller, Johnson Station, Texas
Martin Holman, Hickory
B. F Osborn, Macon
N Drake, Argenta.
Edward Dodwell, Decatur.
Matthias Eckert, "
J. F. Craig, Philomont, Va.
H. E. Dailey, Pleasant Valley, Iowa
T M Taylor, Decatur
Samuel Ross, Pen Run, Pa.
N [illegible], Blue Mound
W. K. [illegible], Harristown
Levi Rinkley, Wellington, Kan
N J Black, Mt Zion
Robert Careins, Mt Zion
Joshua [illegible]Hanks, Harristown
Dr W T Sylvester, Arcola
R F McDonald, Long Creek
J. H. Pickrell, Harristown
W. J. Hamrop, [illegible]
E A Barnwell, Cerro Gordo
P L VanCleve, Niantic
J W [illegible], Friends Creek,
R M [illegible], Whitmore
Mrs D. Miller, Newman, Ill
[illegible], Harristown
Jos D McGuire,
E H Howell, Long Creek
Robert Filson, Harristown,

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the Post-office, at Decatur, Macon co, Illinois, April 3, 1878.

Bloomer D F	Leninger W H
Boyer Miss Lizzie	Meisson Chas
Baker W	Miller Harold
Carter A C	Miller Laura
Cotter Miss Elolra	McKeowen Willie
Carroll Jennie	Owen C
Cornell Ramsey	Rutherford Geo
Desper Mrs Amanda	Richardson Tho
Edwards Hough	Stroh Bent
Gilmore Wm S	Somers W B
House Mat	Tarter E D
Ivens John T	Tay James W
Kepler Miss Alice	Warnick Mis Ava
Kidwell Jacob	Wilson Miss Mary
Kelly John	Thompson Minnie
Love William	

R P LYTLE, Postmaster

COMPLIMENTARY.

The members of the election board at the election of Decatur township, held April 2, 1878, desire to return their unanimous thanks to Mrs Henry Holmes of the American House, for the bountiful repast furnished them, to commend the choice viands, and testify to the very low price charged for meals, far superior to first class hotel fare

[Signed] M B THOMAS, Mod
W J USREY, Judge
D BROCKWAY, "
D L HUGHES, "
H P CHRISTIE, Clerk
C E PEAKE, "

INCURRING A TREMENDOUS RISK.

They incur a tremendous risk who [illegible] scourge The danger to bilious subjects and to those who [illegible] is particularly serious [illegible] of well-[illegible] should be frequently [illegible] kept at hand by such persons; and [illegible] such certainty of protection [illegible] as Hostetter's Stomach Bitters [illegible] specific routs out every vestige of the malarial poison from the [illegible] it within an amount of [illegible] power that [illegible] It also [illegible] preventive [illegible] the stomach, bowels and liver, which are particularly pre[illegible] in[illegible] comp[illegible]

April [illegible]

Opera Glasses,
[illegible] Glasses,
Nickel [illegible] Spectacles, &c.
Celluloid Eye Glasses,
At A. F. [illegible]'s,
Apr 3-d1w 18 East Main st

Workingmen! look to your interests, and save doctor bills by using Dr. Marshall's Lung Syrup for all cases of coughs, colds, etc. Price only 25 cents a bottle Sold by all druggists.

April 3 d&w1w

Never Known to Fail.

Dr Morris' Syrup of Tar, Wild Cherry and Horehound has never been known to fail in permanently curing obstinate coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, nor any disease of the respiratory organs, and it does it, too, at once It is not necessary to take it for a long time before you can discover its beneficial effects — Its sale in this community is immense and its popularity universal It should not be classed with compounds put up by inexperienced hands. Do not fail to give this great and potent remedy a trial It will not and cannot disappoint you. Try it once Trial size 10 cents. Regular sizes 50 cents and One Dollar. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner, druggist, Decatur

Also agent for Prof. Parker's Pleasant Worm Syrup which never fails. Pleasant to take and requires no physic Price 25 cents,

April 1-1m d&w

DECATUR GASLIGHT & COKE CO.—The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Decatur Gaslight & Coke Co will be held at the office of said company, on Thursday, April 4th, 1878, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m and 2 p. m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors and the transaction of such [illegible] come before it. B. K. DURFEE, Sec'y.

March 20-d1d.

[illegible]

For the Republican

SPRING.

By James Reed Dills.

Spring, like a bright coquette hath come again,
She lures me on with many a witching hint
Cast round, as soft she hies—Oh! sweet delight!
A carpet fresh of velvet-tufted green,
She spreads for me, o'er hills, in secret vales,
And sinuous meadow-lanes—upon the grove
She hangs a garlandry of clustering leaves,
With bloom oft interspersed; with lightsome tread
I follow far the merry virgin green,
Tranced in the sunny smiles that glow upon
Her cloudless face; the wanton zephyrs soft
That love to dally with her flower-deck'd robes,
Waft to my sense sweet fragrance exquisite, !!
And whisper secrets to the post dear
Ah! rapturous bursts of music wildly sweet!
Capricious liquid laughter! these I hear
O, Spring! thy charms are matchless! stay!
oh stay!
And let my rambles in thy presence be
Still weave thy spells, —till I all else forget
The world of selfish greed, toil, strife, and care
Still yield thy beauties, day long, and at eve,
While still our souls shall mingle let me spy
Thy conscious blushes! which the night may hide,
But morn renew swift deepening, when it shows
Me with thee amorous-eyed, O siren queen!

Decatur, Ills, April 1, 1878

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS,

As Filed from March 25th, 1878.

[Furnished by Warren & Durfee Real Estate and Insurance Agents]

Oct 4, 77, Catherine E and G W Baker to Corine Race, warranty $3,000, lots 11 and 12, block 8, Western addition

March 26, 78, Hannah and Charles W. Barber to J C Hostetlor, warranty $2400, north half nw qr sec 16, town 14, range 3 east

March 26, '78 J C Hostetler to Charles W Barber, quit claim $2400, same

Dec 1, '70 Jasper N Wood to same, warranty $1440, south half nw qr sec 16, town 14, range 3 east

March 27, '78, Ebenezer McNabb to Julia A Haworth, warranty $700, lot 1, block 6, Western addition

March 4, '78, Elijah Coombe to Young P Jones, warranty $100, four acres in the e qr of sec 35 town 16, range 2 east

March 26, '78, Susannah and William S Morthland to trustees of town 16, range 2 east, quit claim $845, 14 acres in the nw qr of sec 18, town 16, range 2 east

March 13, '78, Sam'l Ritchie to Barbara Wells, warranty $100, part nw qr ne qr sec 14, town 17, range 1 east

May 21, '75, Levi and Fairazina Abernathy to Wm J Rollins, warranty $45, lot 2, in the se qr sw qr of sec 19, town 16, range 2 east

March 28, '78, Samuel M Strailey to John P Martin quit claim $1000, lot 9, block 4 Bandy's addition, and the west half of lot 3, in block 8, Allen McReynold's & Co's addition

Mar 28, 78, John P Martin to Michael Troutman, quit claim $1800, lot 9, block 4, Bandy's addition.

THE LONGEST LINE OF THROUGH SLEEPING CARS IN THE WORLD

Time Less than Forty-Three Hours between St Louis and Boston

The new line of through Palace Sleeping Cars between St Louis and Boston, running over the Wabash, Canada South[illegible] Tunnel Railways, will commence running regularly Monday, April 1

The first sleeper eastward leaving St Louis on train No 2, at 6 40 p m Monday, and the first sleeper westward leaving Boston at 1 00 p m same day, passing over the Wabash R'y on train No 3

YOU MUST CURE THAT COUGH.

With Shiloh's Consumption Cure you can cure yourself. It has established the fact that Consumption can be cured, while for Coughs, Bronchitis, Whooping Cough, Asthma, and all diseases of Throat and Lungs, it is absolutely without an equal. Two doses will relieve your child of Croup, it is pleasant to take and perfectly harmless to the youngest child, and no mother can afford to be without it — You can use two-thirds of a bottle and if what we say is not true we will refund the price paid. Price 10 cts, 50 cts, and $1 00 per bottle If your lungs are sore or chest or back lame, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by Dr A. J Stoner, Decatur, Ill.

Feb 26-d&weot

Have you Dyspepsia, are you constipated, have you a Yellow Skin, Loss of Appetite, Head Ache—if so don't fail to use SHILOH'S SYSTEM VITALIZER It is guaranteed to relieve you, and will you continue to suffer when you can be cured on such terms as these? Price, 10 cts and 75 cts Sold by Dr A J Stoner, Decatur Illinois [Feb 26-d&weot

Wells' Persian Perfume, "HACKMETACK" is rich and fragrant Try it — Sold by Dr. A. J. Stoner, Decatur, Ill.

Feb. 26-d&weot

Loans —I am prepared to negotiate loans—private funds. [illegible]

[illegible] with London toe, French toe, New York toe or box toe; the largest assortment in the city, at BARBER & BARTH'S

Fresh Stock of Wall-Paper just received at J S. Hand & Co.'s.

March 6—d4w

Notice.—As I wish to retire from the jewelry business, I will sell my entire stock, consisting of Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Silver and Plated Ware, Musical Instruments, &c, &c, at first cost, for cash only All desiring anything in my line may be convinced that I mean what I say by giving me a call.

J. L. Kaufman,
24 Merchant St., Decatur, Ill

Jan11 d&wtf

Farmers save your money by buying the South Plow. A. A. MURRAY

march 14-w4w.

[illegible] Ladies' Ties of the [illegible] received at [illegible]

March 27—d1w S EINSTEIN'S

P. T. Locke, the Music Man, says:

Having been appointed General Western Manager of the business of Billings & Co, (Piano manufacturers) of New York,) I have opened an office and ware rooms in Opera Block, where I shall be pleased to meet all my old friends and many new ones We shall make a specialty of our own piano, (Billings & Co,) and the Packard Organ, instruments which are well and favorably known For the next thirty days we will make some special prices, which interested parties can obtain by calling and asking We shall do a wholesale and retail business, the former being our specialty! If you will call and examine our goods and get our prices, you will find that this card means *just what it says* We shall be pleased to have you call and examine our new styles of pianos and organs, even if you do not wish to purchase Remember *special* prices for thirty days

Yours respectfully,
P T. LOCKE.
d&w2 Gen l Western Manager.

A GENTLE HINT

In our style of climate, with its sudden changes of temperature,—rain, wind and sunshine often intermingled in a single day,—it is no wonder that our children, friends and relatives are so frequently taken from us by neglected colds, half the deaths resulting directly from this cause. A bottle of Boschee's German Syrup kept about your home for immediate use will prevent serious sickness, a large doctor's bill, and perhaps death, by the use of three or four doses For curing Consumption Hemorrhages, Pneumonia, Severe Coughs, Croup or any disease of the Throat or Lungs, its success is simply wonderful, as your druggist will tell you German Syrup is now sold in every town and village on this continent Sample bottles for trial, 10c, regular size, 75c

Jan 29—d&w3mo eow

No more scraps or doctored tobacco for smokers, when you can buy the celebrated hand made brand, "Tansill's Gen Custer," at two for 15 cents To get them seasoned you must buy a box, since the manufacturers cannot fill their orders with seasoned goods

HUBBARD & SWEARINGEN

March 8 dtf

Valuable Real Estate!

H. B. DURFEE,

Office with Warren & Durfee.

A SNUG RESIDENCE,

With three rooms, on a good lot, in the north part of the city, for sale at $8.75 per month, till paid for and a few years rent will pay for a home H B DURFEE

A NICE LITTLE RESIDENCE,

On the corner lot by the Mound on West North street, for sale on monthly payments, a good opportunity for a man of small family to lay the foundation for a valuable home H B DURFEE

TWENTY LOTS,

On South Water street three blocks from the center of business and fronting on both sides of the street, cheap for cash, or on monthly payments H B DURFEE

THIRTY CHOICE LOTS,

Second block north of the Wabash Railway, east side of Water street, and fronting on Water, Durfee, Marietta and Bradford streets, just thrown out to commons Give these lots a look they are for sale cheap, there is money in them, and now is the time for getting the pick H B DURFEE

SIX GOOD LOTS,

On and west of the Mound on North street a very desirable neighborhood for residence. Terms to suit purchasers H B DURFEE

EIGHT LOTS,

South of my residence, in the northwest part of the city good lots in a good neighborhood, and the cheapest lots in the city Any industrious man can soon own a lot by making small monthly payments better than depositing in a savings bank. H B DURFEE

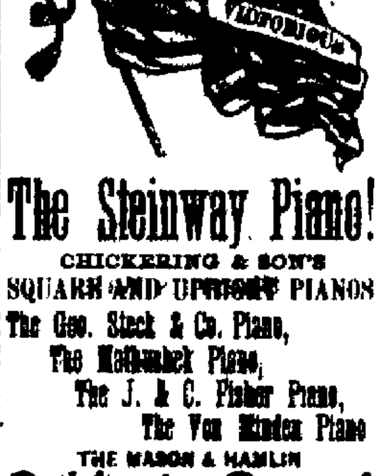
HALF ACRE LOTS,

Acre lots, two acre lots, up to five or ten acre lots, in the vicinity of my residence, either for cash or on long time a very beautiful part of the city for ornamental homes, and yet convenient for all practical purposes of a city residence H B DURFEE

When you get ready to look at city property I shall take pleasure in showing you what I have for sale I am offering nothing except what I am directly interested in, and a large portion of which I am the sole owner.

Outside of the City of Decatur I am offering for sale good lots in Cerro Gordo, and one-half to five-acre lots adjoining, and a farm, just across the county line, in Piatt county, all adjoining the town of Cerro Gordo, thirteen miles east of Decatur, in the midst of a beautiful and well-improved district of country (with good schools and good churches, and one of the best townships the Wabash Railway.

April 2 dtf H B DURFEE



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SQUARE AND UPRIGHT PIANOS
The Geo. Steck & Co. Piano,
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The J. & C. Fisher Piano,
The Von Minden Piano
THE MASON & HAMLIN
Cabinet Organ!
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STANDARD ORGAN,
(with Charming "Campanella" Stops),
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can be seen tried, compared and bought at the VERY LOWEST FIGURES, at
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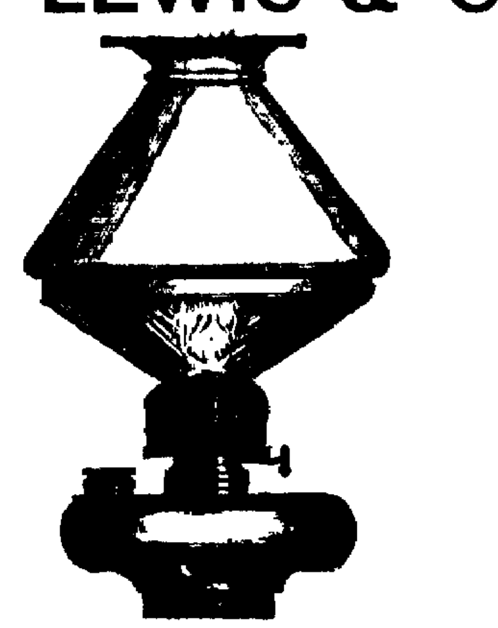
NO. 4 WATER ST
Dec 22 dtf Decatur, Illinois

NEW
SPRING GOODS
JUST RECEIVED,
AND EVERY DAY WILL ADD TO OUR PRESENT ASSORTMENT
THE CHOICEST NOVELTIES
THE MARKET AFFORDS.
LINN & SCRUGGS
March 1878.

SUPPLIES AND ATTACHMENTS
FOR ALL MACHINES.

SEWING MACHINES REPAIRED
—AT THE—
SINGER OFFICE!
Opposite the Post Office.
GEO. P. BLUME.

J. H. LEWIS & CO.



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The Most Economical Light in Use.
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After a *thorough test* of the Illuminator in lighting our store we recommend it for either stores, public buildings or private dwellings and guarantee it to give satisfaction

We also keep a Superior Quality of COAL OIL.

J H LEWIS & CO.,
March 11, 18 dtf Opera House Block

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

BETTER TIMES FOR THE PEOPLE.

New Arrival
—OF—
FRESH GROCERIES!
—AT—
PRATT'S STORE
No. 37 North Church Street.
CALL AND LEARN OUR PRICES.

We mean business, and we are ready for business at all times Our stock is large it is carefully selected, it is bought for cash and the prices at which we sell our Goods are the lowest at which a fair and honest business can be conducted [mar12-d&w1mo

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County, }

In the Circuit Court, May Term, A. D. 1878

Abraham Bohen and Joseph Bohen, partners as Bohen Bros. & Co. complainants, vs. Isaac Harper and the Savings Fund, Building and Loan Association, defendants—In Chancery

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence in this state of Isaac Harper, defendant in the above-entitled cause having been filed in the office of the clerk of the said Macon County Circuit Court, you, the said Isaac Harper, are [illegible] holden at the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said county of Macon, on the second Monday in the month of May, A. D. 1878, and plead, answer or demur to said bill, the same will be taken as confessed and a decree entered according to the prayer thereof.

E McCLELLAN, Clerk

JAMES C LAKE, Solicitor for Complainant
April 3, 1878-d4d

The Great Popularity of the "Old Dominion" Buck Gloves and Gauntlets has induced parties, both in Decatur and surrounding towns, to sell inferior gloves under this name None are genuine unless stamped "Geo. Ott" on the inside, and to be had only of

Oct 2—d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS

A Good Cigar costs the smoker no more than a picayune, now that Hubbard & Swearingen sell "Tansill's Gen Custer" at 2 for 15 cents

Five pieces Tinware for One Dollar, at Bishop & Stoy's [March 29 dtf

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County, }
Macon County Circuit Court

Augustus Harpstrite vs. [illegible] For [illegible]

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December term, A. D 1877, I, John A. Brown Master in Chancery for said court, on

Friday the 19th day of April, A D 1878

at the hour of two o'clock p m. of said day shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the north door of the court house, Decatur in said county the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, to-wit Lot No eight (8), in block No. one (1), in the Rolling Mill Addition to the city of Decatur, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging Said premises will be sold subject to redemption

Decatur, Ill., March 27th, 1878

JOHN A BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill
[illegible] Solicitor for Complt.

March 27, d2w

FURNISHED ROOMS FOR RENT,

WITH OR WITHOUT BOARD,

2nd House South of the Bethel Church, on North Water Street.

March 26 d1mo S. P. RAGAN.

WANTED.

A BLACKSMITH at Canner Station None but a good workman need apply, a single man preferred Apply to

L. B. CANNER,
h 21 dtf Canner Ill

DIVORCE NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County, }

In the circuit court to the May Term, A.D. 1878

John Wade vs Anna Wade Divorce

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence in the State of Illinois of the above-named defendant, Anna Wade, having been filed in the clerk's office of said circuit court, you, the said Anna Wade, are hereby notified that a cause entitled as above has been commenced and is now pending in said circuit court, and that summons therein has been issued, returnable to the next term of said court, and unless you shall be and appear on the first day of the said next term of said court, to be held at the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the second Monday in the month of May, A. D. 1878, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint filed in said cause, the same and the matters therein stated and set forth will be taken for confessed against you, and a decree rendered in accordance with the prayer thereof.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

I. A. BUCKINGHAM, Solicitor for Compl't.
April 2, 1878 d4w

FOR SALE.

In consequence of [illegible] from the city, I will [illegible] for cash my [illegible] [illegible] in town and [illegible] house in good [illegible] rooms, [illegible] and [illegible] Also will sell horse and buggy.

Oct. [illegible] [illegible] W. [illegible]

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All Express Trains of this line are fully equipped with Pullman's Palace Sleeping Cars, Westinghouse's Lately Improved Air Brake, and Miller's Platform and Coupler, rendering a serious accident almost impossible.

Departure of Trains at Decatur Station

Main Line.

GOING WEST

No. 1 Through Express 3 46 a. m
" 3 Fast Line 4 46 a. m
" 5 Fast Mail 3 30 p. m

GOING EAST.

No. 2 Lightning Express 10:46 p. m
... 11:20 a. m
... p m
[illegible]

Going East 10:00 a. m
" West ... a. m
Going West 7:.. p. m

St. Louis Division.

[illegible]

ARRIVE.

[illegible]

H. ANDREWS, Gen'l Sup't, Toledo.
H. C. Townsend, Gen'l Passenger and Ticket Agent ...
... Agent, Decatur.

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North and Northwest.

PEKIN, LINCOLN AND DECATUR RAILWAY.

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BURLINGTON, COUNCIL BLUFFS,

Omaha, Galesburg, Davenport, Rock Island, LaSalle, Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis, and all points North and Northwest. Connections made at Peoria in Union Depot, for all points in Iowa, Nebraska, Minnesota and Wisconsin.

For Through Tickets and further information, apply to

K. HARWOOD, Agent,
Union Depot, Decatur, Ill

TIME-TABLE.

DECATUR AND PEORIA SHORT LINE.

Night Express	Fast Day Ex. & Mail	1878. Jan. 15th	Fast Day Ex. & Mail
Arrive.			Leave.
10.20 pm	11.15 am	Decatur	[illegible]
8.55 "	10.21 "	Mt Pulaski	8.35
8.20 "	9.56 "	Lincoln	9.10
7.42 "	9.27 "	Delavan	[illegible]
6.45 "	8.50 "	Green Valley	[illegible]
6.00 "	8.30 "	Pekin	8.50
5.35 pm	8.00 "	Peoria	7.15
	9.00 pm	Chicago	7.15 am

[illegible] Chief Ticket Clerk, P. L. & D. Ry, Pekin.
January 17, 1878.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

Decatur Station, Feb. 10, 1878.

Until further notice, trains will leave Decatur as follows:

GOING NORTH.

Passenger, 5:50 a m
Live Stock Express 10:30 "
Accommodation ... 3:05 p m
Freight ... 4:30 "

GOING SOUTH.

Freight, ... 10:10 a m
Accommodation ... 10:20 "
Passenger ... 6:10 p m

E. T. Jeffery, Sup't, Chicago.
J. F. Tucker, General Freight Agent, Chicago.
C. H. Judson, Agent, Decatur

TIME CARD
FOR

STREET CARS

Leave Old Square at ... 6 30, 7 00, 7 30 A. M.
And every 30 minutes up to ... 10 30 P. M.
For morning trains going North and West will leave Old Square at 5 00 A. M.
For early morning train West will leave ... 2 30 "
Leave depot ... 6 30, 7 00, 7 30 "
And every 30 minutes until 11 00 P. M.
From 5 P. M. until 6 P. M. a car will leave each end of the route every 15 minutes.

Baggage conveyed to and from the depot, and ... for all trains if orders are left at Priest's Hotel in time to take cars.

Baggage to go on night or early morning trains must be delivered at Priest's Hotel by 9 o'clock p. m., or orders left for same by that time.

F. PRIEST.
May 27-1-dtf Pres. H. R'y & C. Co.

INDIANAPOLIS DECATUR AND SPRINGFIELD R'Y.

NEW TIME TABLE.

On and after Sunday, April 1st, 1877, trains will depart from and arrive at Decatur daily, except Sunday, as follows:

EAST BOUND TRAINS.

Accommodation leaves at 6:00 a. m
Passenger and mail leaves at 12:00 noon

WEST BOUND TRAINS.

Passenger and mail at 11 15 a. m
Accommodation at ... 8 .. p m

Take this line for all points North and South on the Chicago & Paducah Railroad, Illinois Central (Chicago Branch), Paris & Danville and the ... close connections being made at junction stations and through tickets on sale at the ticket office, Decatur.

GENERAL OFFICES, ...

H. C. Moore, Chief Engineer and Supt.
C. Y. Lewis, Gen'l Freight and Ticket Agent.
R. H. Pierce, Train Master and Supt. Tel.
Geo. E. Lane, Ticket Agent, Decatur, Ill.

ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y.

On and after Sunday, October 1st, trains will arrive and leave as follows:

[illegible]

Through Time by the

I. B. & W ROUTE.

EASTWARD.

STATIONS.	No. 2.	No. 4.	No. 6.
Lv ...	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ar Champaign	6:10 a m	1:34 p m	11:36 p m
Ar Danville	7:43 a m	3:05 p m	1:34 a m
Ar Indianapolis	11:00 a m	6:00 p m	4.30 a m
Ar Cincinnati	[illegible]	9:45 p m	8:55 a m
WABASH R. R.			
Lv Decatur		11:40 a m	10:45 p m
" Tolono		[illegible]	11:57 p m
Ar Danville		[illegible]	2:18 a m
" Indianapolis	11:00 a m	6:00 p m	4:30 a m
" Cincinnati	4:05 p m	10:45 p m	8:55 a m
" Columbus	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
" Wheeling	5:05 a m		6:40 p m
" Washington	7:20 p m	9:07 p m	7:50 a m
" Baltimore	6:00 p m	7:35 p m	7:45 a m
" Pittsburg		7:20 a m	7:45 p m
" Harrisburg		3:55 p m	3:50 a m
" Philadelphia	3:10 a m	7:20 p m	7:35 a m
" New York	[illegible]	[illegible]	10:35
" Crestline	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
" Cleveland	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
" Buffalo	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
" Boston		8:18 a m	2:40 p m
" Louisville	7:40 p m	11:00 p m	6:00 a m
" Nashville		8:20 a m	7:30 p m

Train No. 6 will leave Decatur via Wabash Railway daily, and run through to Indianapolis, making all Eastern connections. All other trains daily, except Sunday.

Reclining Chair Sleeping Cars with State Rooms are run on No. 6, to Indianapolis.

GEO. B. WRIGHT, Receiver,
JOHN W. BROWN, General Passenger and Ticket Agent, Indianapolis, Ind.

For through tickets and further information address H. MORRISON, Agent.

TOLEDO, PEORIA AND WARSAW RAILWAY.

ON AND AFTER MARCH 8, 1878, trains will run as follows:

EASTWARD.

STATIONS	No. 2	No. 4	No. 8
Lv Peoria	*7.25 a m	[illegible]	[illegible] p m
" Eureka	8 44 "	[illegible]	p m
Ar Chenoa	9 19 "	[illegible]	a m
" Fairbury	9 43 "	[illegible]	"
" Gilman	10 43 "	[illegible]	"
" Chicago		[illegible]	"
" Watseka	11 15 "	1.05 "	4.00 "
" Sheldon	11.35 p m	1.25 "	4.55 "

*Runs Daily. †Runs Daily except Sunday.

Arrangement of Through Cars.

No. 2 has Reclining Chair Car from Burlington and Peoria to Lafayette and Indianapolis, and Palace Sleeping Car from Peoria to Fort Wayne and Toledo.

No. 4 has through day coach from Burlington and Peoria to Lafayette, Ft. Wayne and Toledo. No. 8 has a Palace Sleeping Car from Peoria to Chicago.

WESTWARD.

STATIONS.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7
Lv. El Paso	*2 25 am	†1.30 pm	
" Peoria	8 50 "	2 55 "	
Ar Canton	†10.10 "	4.00 "	
" Bushnell	11.30 "	5 23 "	
" Burlington	1 50 pm	7.25 "	
" Keokuk	2.10 "	7.35 "	
" West Liberty	10 40 "	10.40 "	
" Cedar Rapids	12 25 am	12 25 am	
" Waterloo	3.07 "	3 07 "	
" [illegible]	9.36 pm	10 50 pm	
" Des Moines	2.50 am	2 50 am	
" Omaha	10.00 "	10.00 "	
" St. Joseph	5.10 "	5.10 "	
" Kansas City	9.40 "	9.40 "	

*Runs Daily †Runs Daily except Sunday.

Arrangement of Through Cars.

All trains run through entire from Indiana Line to the Mississippi River.

No. 3 has Reclining Chair Car from Indianapolis and Lafayette to Peoria and Burlington, and Palace Sleeping Car from Toledo and Fort Wayne to Peoria.

No. 5 has ... coach through from Toledo and ... to Peoria and Burlington.

No. ... Palace Sleeping Car from Chicago to Peoria.

For tickets and further information apply to GEO. M. YOUNG, Agent, El Paso, or to A. V. THOMAS, Ticket Agent, No. 102 North Adams street, Peoria.

A. L. HOPKINS, General Manager. H. C. TOWNSEND, General Ticket Agent. PEORIA, ILL.

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, } ss.

Macon County Circuit Court.

Helen L. Ormsby vs. George F. Wessels, Amanda J. Wessels, George Wessels and Samuel F. Greer, assignee in bankruptcy of George F. Wessels.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December term, A. D. 1877, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

Saturday, the 20th day of April, A D, 1878,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the court house in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate situate in the County of Macon and state of Illinois, to-wit: Commencing seven hundred and thirty-one [731] links west and one hundred and sixty-five [165] feet south of the northeast corner of the southwest quarter of section fifteen [15], in township sixteen [16] north of range two [2] east of the third P. M., thence south ... and ... fifty feet [150] feet, thence north one hundred and thirty [130] feet, thence east three hundred and fifty [350] feet to the place of beginning, ... in Decatur, Illinois ... together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption. JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill
Decatur, Ill., March 19th, 1878.
... Solicitor for Complainant.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF ONE EXECUTION ON ... of Judgment to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Rowland N. Ross and Josephus H. Cunningham, partners as Ross & Cunningham, and against J. M. Lowry and Maria M. Lowry, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lots nine [9] and ten [10] of the subdivision of the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section ten [10], in township sixteen [16] north, range two [2] east of the third P. M., as made by the executors of the last will and testament of I. C. Pugh, deceased. Taken as property of the said J. M. Lowry and Maria M. Lowry, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court House in Decatur, in Macon county, in said State, on the 6th day of April, A. D. 1878, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.
This 11th day of March, A. D. 1878.
M. FORSTMYER,
Sheriff Macon county, Illinois.
... d3w

SWEET Chewing NAVY Tobacco

Awarded highest prize at Centennial Exposition for fine chewing qualities and excellence and lasting character of sweetening and flavoring. The best tobacco ever made. As our blue strip trade-mark is closely imitated on inferior goods, see that Jackson's Best is on every plug. Sold by all dealers. Send for sample, free, to C. A. Jackson & Co., Mfrs., Petersburg, Va.

Redemption Notice.

To James Ryan, or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 3rd day of June, A. D. 1876, for the taxes for the year 1875, I purchased the following described town lots, to-wit: Lots 1 and 4, block 3, of the ... addition to Decatur, Illinois, taxed in the name of James Ryan; and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 3rd day of June, A. D. 1878.
Feb. 13- d3w R. K. DURFEE.

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We have on hand a choice lot of Sugar Cured Hams at 10 cents per pound; Sugar-Cured Shoulders at 7 cents per pound; Lard at 10 cts. per pound; Sliced Hams at 15 cents per pound.

Breakfast Bacon, Dried Beef, Bologna and Lard, at Wholesale and Retail.

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Of all kinds on hand. We kill only first-class stock. Feb19'78dtf.

Master's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, } ss

Macon County Circuit Court.

Joseph Robinson vs. John C. Millspaugh, Mary A. Millspaugh and William M. Boyd —Foreclosure.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December term, A. D. 1877, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court,

On Saturday, the 18th day of April, A. D. 1878,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the court house in Decatur, *in said county*, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, to-wit: Lot No. twelve (12), of the south half of lot No. thirteen (13), in block No. seven (7), in the South Addition to Decatur, Illinois, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption. JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.
Decatur, Ill., March 19th, 1877.
J. S. Post, Solicitor for Complainant.
March 19—d3w

Attachment Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, COUNTY OF MACON, } ss

In the circuit court to the May Term, A. D. 1878.

William J. Chenoweth and Robert L. Walston, late co-partners under the firm name of Chenoweth & Walston, vs. Patrick Cunningham.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Patrick Cunningham, defendant in the above entitled cause, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court of said county, and notice thereof public notice is hereby given to the said Patrick Cunningham that William J. Chenoweth and Robert L. Walston, late co-partners under the firm name of Chenoweth & Walston, have commenced a suit against the estate of the said Patrick Cunningham for the sum of seventy-six dollars, and that the same is now pending before the Circuit Court of said county and state at the May term, A. D. 1878.

Now unless you, the said Patrick Cunningham, shall personally be and appear before the Circuit Court of Macon county, to be held at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in said county and state, on the second Monday in May, A. D. 1878, give bail and plead within the time limited for your appearance in such cause, judgment will be entered against you, and the estate attached will be sold.
E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
E. S. McDONALD, Plaintiffs' Attorney.
Feb. 21, 1878—d3w

Master's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, } ss.

In the Circuit Court, December Term, A. D 1877

John N. Gill et al. vs. Anna Gill et al.—In Partition

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of a decree rendered in the above entitled cause at the December term, A. D. 1877, of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, the undersigned will sell, on

Thursday, the 4th day of April, A. D. 1878,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, at the west entrance to the court-house stairway, in the city of Decatur, Illinois, to the highest bidder, the following described real estate, to-wit: Lots No. five (5) and six (6), in block No. eight (8) in Smith & Co's Addition to the city of Decatur, Illinois; also lots No. eight (8) and nine (9) and the south half of lot No. eleven (11), except one foot off of the south side of said last mentioned lot in block No. two (2), in Pratt & Tuttle's Addition to the city of Decatur—all of said above lots being in Macon county, Illinois. Also the following real estate in the county of Piatt, Illinois, to-wit: The north half of lots eleven (11) and twelve (12), in block D, in Rea's Addition to Bement.

TERMS OF SALE.—One third of purchase price cash in hand, one-third in six months from date of sale, and one-third in twelve months from date of sale; the deferred payments to bear interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum from date of sale until paid, the purchaser to give his notes with personal security and a mortgage on the premises sold to secure the deferred payments. Said sale will be absolute, and a deed made to purchaser or purchasers on approval of sale by court.
JOHN A. BROWN,
March 8—d4w Master in Chancery

DISTRESS FOR RENT.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss

In the Circuit Court, May Term, A. D. 1878.

Henry Hilbright vs. Ernst Bosie —Distress for Rent.

NOTICE is hereby given that ... Henry Hilbright filed ... distress warrant ... the goods and chattels of said Ernst ..., together with an inventory of the goods and chattels levied upon ... 16th day ... for the sum of ... said court, returnable at the ... 1877, thereof ... defendant ... said court, continued ... A. D. 1878 for service; that ... non-residence of said Ernst ... day been filed in the office of the clerk of said court: Now, therefore, unless you, the said Ernst Bosie, shall be and appear in said court on or before the first day of the said May term thereof and plead in said cause, ... will be entered against you ... levied ...
E. McCLELLAN, Clerk Circuit Court, Macon county.
March 21, 1878—d4w

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Charles W. Dewey and ... Joseph Austin and W. C. Davis, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: The south half of the east half of the northwest quarter of section No. twenty-seven [27], township sixteen [16] north, range one [1] east of the 3rd P. M., containing forty acres, more or less, excepting a parcel of land beginning at the southwest corner, running north forty-two [42] rods, thence east ... thence south to the south line, thence west twenty-six and one-half [26½] rods to the place of beginning. Taken as property of the said Joseph Austin, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court House in Decatur, in Macon county, in said State, on the 8th day of April, A. D. 1878, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.
This 11th day of March, A. D. 1878.
M. FORSTMYER,
Sheriff Macon county, Illinois.
March 11—d3w

WANTED.—Energetic persons to canvass for ... Self-Lighting Gas Burner, entirely new, and attracts attention everywhere. A good chance to make money. For particulars, address
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Feb28d3w—

The Daily Republican.

Wonder Upon Wonder!

From the Austin (Nev.) Reveille.

An electrician of this city has invented an improvement on the telephone, which he calls the "kissograph." It works on a principle of magnetic attraction, and by its means an absent husband can kiss his own wife at a distance of a thousand miles. To make use of it for kissing another man's wife disarranges the instrument and creates a current which sets the steam whistles to blowing and the fire bells to ringing.

SOMETHING should be done to stop the manufacture and use of poisonous wall paper. Formerly suspicion fell on green wall-paper only, and there was a certain reason for this, because there is really not the slightest excuse for using arsenic in even the brilliant colors of any other shade than green. Paper-stainers, we are told, have found that it is such an unusually profitable practice that now they are not content to use arsenic in green wall-papers only, but are introducing it into even the palest white drawing room-papers, and especially into those which have an enameled ground.

AWNINGS.

Having made arrangements with E. C. Cook & Bro., of Chicago, we are prepared to furnish and put up AWNINGS for stores, offices, hotels, private residences, etc., at very low prices. Samples of goods can be seen and prices procured at our address.

Tents and Water-proof Covers can be ordered through us
H. MUELLER & Co., Decatur, Ill
March 15—d1m

A full stock of Garden Seeds, fresh and pure, for sale by
Mar 13-d&w1m A A MURRAY

TO A COLONIST

(GOING WEST)

Time is Money!

Therefore all *Mud Roads* (and such Railroads as are composed mainly of the same article) and take the *Old Reliable Hannibal and St. Joseph*, which is the Nation's Great Highway to wealth and happiness. For the benefit of colonists, and the traveling public generally, this line is now running through cars from Chicago to Kansas City, Atchison and St. Joseph, via the *Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad*, and from Toledo, Ohio, to the same points, over the *Wabash Railway, without change.*

For through rates and time consult the Ticket Agents of connecting lines, or the following officers of the company.

J. A. S. REED, Gen'l Agent, 50 Clark st., Chicago
C. W. BOARDMAN, Southeastern Pass. Agent, Decatur, Ill.,
Or to T PENFIELD, G P. & T. A, Hannibal, Mo
Jan. 16 1878—dtf

SWORN EVIDENCE.

The following Cure is probably the most remarkable ever effected by any medical preparation for the treatment of Catarrh:

Gentlemen,—I hereby certify that I have had Catarrh for ten years, and for the last six years have been a terrible sufferer. I was rendered partially deaf, had buzzing in the head, pains across the temples, dizzy spells, weak and painful eyes, swollen and ulcerated tonsils, hard and constant cough, severe pain across the chest, and every indication of consumption. My head ached all the time. The matter accumulated so rapidly in my head and throat that I could not keep them free. Frequently at night I would spring out of bed, it seemed to me, at the point of suffocation. I would then have recourse to every means in my power to dislodge the mucus from my throat and head before being able to sleep again. For a period of six years my tonsils were ulcerated and so much inflamed that I could with difficulty swallow. I finally consulted an eminent surgeon in regard to an operation on them, but at his request postponed it. The constant inflammation and ulceration in my throat caused by the poisonous matter dropping down from my head had so irritated and inflamed my lungs that I coughed incessantly,—a deep, hard cough. Meanwhile my system began to show the effects of this disease, so that I lost flesh, grew pale, and showed every symptom of an early death by consumption. When matters had reached this stage, or about six months ago, I began the use of SANFORD'S RADICAL CURE FOR CATARRH. After using the first bottle I began to improve rapidly. The first dose seemed to clear my head as I had not known it to be for years. It seemed gradually to arrest the discharges. It stopped my cough in three days. By using it as a gargle soon reduced the inflammation and swelling of my tonsils, so that they soon ceased to trouble me. The soreness across my chest disappeared, the buzzing noises in my head ceased, my senses of seeing and of hearing were completely restored, and every symptom of disease that had reduced me to the verge of the grave disappeared by the use of SANFORD'S RADICAL CURE FOR CATARRH.

I have been thus explicit because, as a druggist, I have seen a great deal of suffering from Catarrh, and hope to convince many that this is a great remedy.

I am familiar with the treatment of Catarrh as practised by the best physicians, and have consulted the most eminent about my case. I have used every kind of remedy and apparatus that have appeared during a period of six years past, and have, while following their use, taken great care of my general health, but obtained no relief or encouragement from any of them.
BOSTON, Feb. 23 1875. GEO. F. DINSMORE.

SUFFOLK, ss. Feb. 23, 1875.
Then personally appeared the said George F. Dinsmore, and made oath that the foregoing statement by him subscribed is true. Before me,
SETH J. THOMAS, Justice of the Peace.

Each package contains Dr. Sanford's Improved Inhaling Tube, with full directions for use in all cases. Price, $1.00. For sale by all Wholesale and Retail Druggists throughout the United States. WEEKS & POTTER, General Agents and Wholesale Druggists, Boston, Mass.

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Affords the most grateful relief in all Affections of the Chest and Lungs.

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Messrs. Weeks & Potter: Gentlemen,—Having for many months past suffered with a very lame side, called by my physician Chronic Pleurisy, caused by a former injury and strain, and for which I used many prescriptions and liniments, as well as the so-called rheumatic cures, without the least benefit, my physician recommended one of your Collins' Voltaic Plasters, which, to my great surprise, relieved the pain and soreness almost immediately, and I have been able to attend to my household duties ever since with perfect ease and comfort, whereas, before the application of your invaluable Plaster, I was scarcely able to do anything. I consider them invaluable, and shall take pleasure in recommending them to the afflicted. Yours respectfully, MRS. FRANCES HARRIMAN. Orland, Me., April 15, 1876.

There is no medical or protective appliance that will prove so grateful and effective in Tickling Coughs, Irritation and Soreness of the Chest and Lungs. We believe them capable of preventing serious diseases of these organs.

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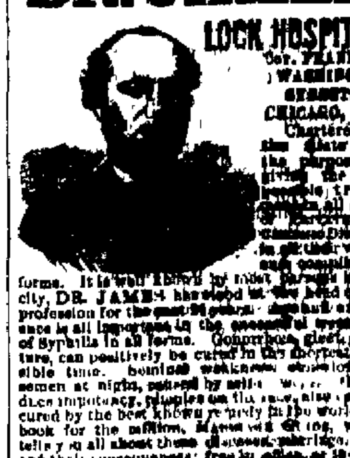

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Oct. 19, 1876 d&w1y

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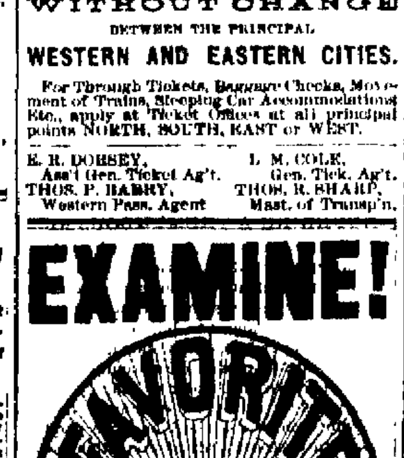

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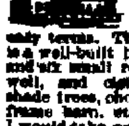
SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of David Garver and against Thomas Medlow and George Nicholts, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Beginning six chains and 25 links east of the center of the northeast quarter of section 21, town 17 north, range 2 east of the 3rd P. M.; thence north 31½ degrees east, 11 chains and 2 links; thence west 4 chains and 3 links; thence north 31½ degrees east, 7 chains and 67 links; thence east 11 chains and 71 links, more or less, to the north and south quarter section line; thence south 17 chains and 28 links to 40 acre corner; thence west 12 chains and 40 links, more or less, to place of beginning, except 5 acres off the north side of said tract; also lot No. 5, in block No. 4, in the town of Oreana—all of the above described lands being in Macon county, Illinois. Taken as property of the said Thomas Medlow, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court-house in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 6th day of April, A. D. 1878, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.
This 13th day of March, A. D. 1878.
M. FORSTMYER,
March 13—d3w Sheriff Macon county, Ill.

SPLENDID CITY RESIDENCE FOR SALE



I offer my property, in the west part of the city, corner of College and North streets, near the Mound, for SALE at a VERY LOW PRICE, and on easy terms. The lot is 100x150 feet; the house is a well-built brick structure, with ten large and six small rooms; has three cellars, good well, and cistern; stone walks, beautiful shade trees, choice bearing fruit trees, a good frame barn, etc. In the best part of the city. I would take part trade in property in Colorado. Address W. W. LAPHAM,
824 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo.
Or OVERMIER & KAUFMAN, Decatur, Ill.
March 27—2&w1m

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WEST SIDE OF THE OLD SQUARE.
Feb. 18, 1878—d&w3mo

Trustees' Sale.

WHEREAS, Peter C. Stevenson and Anna Stevenson, his wife, of Douglas county, Illinois, did, on the 29th day of September, A. D. 1873, by their deed of trust, convey to Jasper J. Peddecord and Lowber Burrows, trustees, the real estate hereinafter described, to secure the payment, according to the tenor and effect thereof, of one promissory note of said Peter C. Stevenson, of even date therewith, payable to the order of Asahel P. Griswold, five years after the date thereof, with ten per cent. interest per annum—interest payable semi-annually on the first days of May and November in each year until the last payment of interest, which was to be made on the day of the maturity of said note, according to interest coupons thereto annexed; and also to secure the re-payment to the holder of said note of any money he had advanced in payment of taxes upon said real estate; which trust deed was duly recorded in the Recorder's office of Douglas county, Illinois, in book 10 of mortgages, page 361; upon which note and trust deed will be due, on the 8th day of April, A. D. 1878, the sum of $672.19

And whereas, it is provided in said deed of trust that, if default be made in the payment of said note, or any installment of interest thereon when due, on application of the legal holder of said note, the said trustees shall proceed and sell said real estate at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the front door of the court-house, in the city of Decatur, county of Macon and State of Illinois having first given notice of such sale in some public newspaper published in said city of Decatur for a period of 30 days previous to the day of sale—and make, execute and deliver to the purchaser a deed to the premises sold;

And whereas, the said Asahel P. Griswold assigned said note by indorsement thereon to L. R. Scofield,

And whereas, default has been made in the payment of the last installment of interest, and also in payment of the principal sum when due; and application has been made by said L. R. Scofield, the present legal holder of said note, for the sale of said real estate under the provisions of said deed: Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that the undersigned will, on

Monday, the 8th day of April, A. D. 1878,

at one o'clock p. m. of said day, at the front door of the Court House, in said city of Decatur, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described premises, situate in the county of Douglas and State of Illinois, to-wit: The northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section No. seven (7), in township No. sixteen (16) north, and range No. eight (8) east of the third principal meridian, containing according to government survey thirty-nine and forty one-hundredth acres, with all homestead and dower rights, and all right of equity of redemption of said Peter C. Stevenson and Annie Stevenson therein to pay said note and interest and money advanced for taxes, together with the costs of this sale, as by said deed of trust is provided.
JASPER J. PEDDECORD and LOWBER BURROWS,
March 6, 1878 dtd Trustees

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of William Cantrell, assignee of A. A. Smith, H. G. Henry and J. N. Oiler, executors of A. W. Smith, deceased, and *against John O. Reed*, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: The west half of the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section 28, town 16 north, range 2 east of the third P. M., also the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section 28, town 16 north, range 2 east of the third P. M.; also the north half of the west half of the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section 28, town 16 north, range 2 east of the third P. M. [For further reference see plat book No. 22, page 76, lots Nos. 1, 2 and 6]. Taken as property of the said John O. Reed, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court House in Decatur, in Macon county, in said State, on the 6th day of April, A. D. 1878, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.
M. FORSTMYER,
Sheriff Macon county, Illinois.
This 11th day of March, A. D. 1878.
March 12 d3w

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, } ss

In the county court to the April term thereof, A. D. 1878.

To James D. Gold, Philip E. Gold and Nancy Gold, alias Green

YOU will take notice that at the April term, A. D. 1878, of the county court of Macon county, Illinois, to be holden at the court-house in Decatur, in said county, commencing on the third Monday of April next, and on the third day of said term, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, I will present to said court my final report as administrator of the estate of John Gold, deceased, for adjudication and settlement, and will, then and there, make a motion for an order of said court approving said report, and to be discharged from my office of administrator.
MARTIN FORSTMYER.
Administrator of the estate of John Gold, dec'd
March 28 w3w

MASTER'S SALE.

Maria Christen, Anne Christen, John Christen and Maria Christen, *ex parte. In Partition.*

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of a decree rendered in the above entitled cause at the December term, A. D. 1877, of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, the undersigned will sell, on

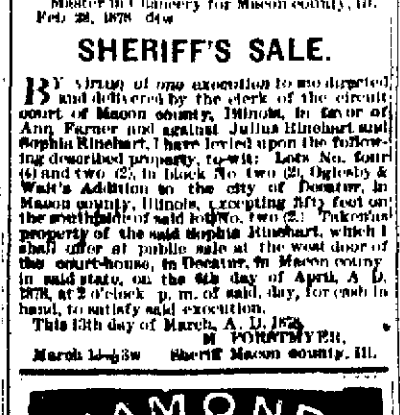
Thursday, the 28th day of March, A. D. 1878,

at the hour of two o'clock of said day, at the west door of the court-house, in the city of Decatur, Illinois, to the highest bidder, the following described real estate situated in Macon county, Illinois, to-wit: Lot six (6) in block one (1), in Oglesby & Wait's addition to the city of Decatur.

TERMS OF SALE. One-third of purchase money cash in hand, one-third in one year, and one-third in two years from date of sale, the deferred payments to bear interest at the rate of ten per cent. per annum until paid, and to be secured by the purchaser or purchasers giving notes with good personal security and a trust deed or sale mortgage on the premises sold. Said sale will be absolute, and a deed made to the purchaser on approval of sale by court. JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.
Feb. 28, 1878 d4w

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of one execution to me directed, and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Ann Farner and against Julius Rinehart and Sophia Rinehart, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lots No. four (4) and two (2), in block No. two (2), Oglesby & Wait's Addition to the city of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois, excepting fifty feet on the south side of said lot No. two (2). Taken as property of the said Sophia Rinehart, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court-house, in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 6th day of April, A. D. 1878, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.
This 13th day of March, A. D. 1878.
M. FORSTMYER,
March 14—d3w Sheriff Macon county, Ill.



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Trustee's Sale.

WHEREAS, James A. Brown and Margaret A. Brown, his wife, of Piatt county, Illinois, did, on the sixth day of April, A. D. 1872, by their deed of trust, convey to Jasper J. Peddecord and Lowber Burrows, Trustees, the real estate hereinafter described, to secure the payment, according to the tenor and effect thereof, of one certain promissory note of said James A. Brown, of even date therewith, payable to the order of Asahel P. Griswold, five years after the date thereof, with ten per cent. interest per annum—interest payable semi-annually on the first day of May and November in each year until the last payment of interest, which was to be made on the day of maturity of said note according to interest coupons thereto attached; which trust deed was duly recorded in the Recorder's office of Piatt county, Illinois, in book No. 8 of Deeds, pages 218; upon which note and trust deed will be due, on the 9th day of April, A. D. 1878, the sum of $1,108.30;

And whereas, it is provided in said deed of trust that, if default be made in the payment of said note, or any installment of interest thereon when due, on application of the legal holder of said note, the said trustees shall proceed and sell said real estate at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the front door of the court-house, in the city of Decatur, county of Macon and state of Illinois having first given notice of such sale in some public newspaper published in said city of Decatur, for a period thirty days previous to the day of sale and make, execute and deliver to the purchaser a deed to the premises sold,

And whereas, the said Asahel P. Griswold assigned said note to Mrs. E. D. Gilman;

And whereas, default has been made in the payment of the principal sum when due, and request has been made by said Mrs. E. D. Gilman, the present legal holder of said note, for the sale of said real estate under the provisions of said deed: Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that the undersigned will, on

Tuesday, the ninth day of April, A. D. 1878,

at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the front door of the court-house, in said city of Decatur, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described premises, situate in the county of Piatt and state of Illinois, to-wit: The east half of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section No. twenty-seven (27), in township No. nineteen (19) north, and range No. five (5) east of the 3rd principal meridian, containing twenty (20) acres, according to government survey; also commencing at the southwest corner of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section No. sixteen (16), in township No. nineteen (19) north, and range No. five (5) east of the third principal meridian; thence north, variation 8 deg. 30 min., 19 70-100 chains; thence east variation 5 deg. 25 min., 19 70-100 chains; thence south, variation 8 deg. 32 min., 11 35-100 chains, thence south 46 deg. 15 min. west, 14 62-100 chains, thence west, variation 5 deg. 38 min., 7 87-100 chains to the beginning, containing 31 25-100 acres; also commencing at the northwest corner of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section No. twenty-one (21), in township No. nineteen (19) north, and range No. five (5) east of the third principal meridian, thence south, variation 6 deg. 32 min., [illegible] chains, thence north 48 deg. 16 min. east, 9 50-100 chains; thence west 5 deg. 35 min., 7 52-100 chains to the beginning, containing 2 25-100 acres, with all homestead and dower rights, and all right of equity of redemption of said James A. Brown and Margaret A. Brown therein, to pay *said note and interest*, together with the costs of this sale, as by said deed of trust is provided.
JASPER J. PEDDECORD and LOWBER BURROWS,
March 8, 1878 dtd Trustees

Trustee's Sale.

WHEREAS, John H. Conrod, of Piatt county, Illinois, did, on the twenty-sixth day of July, A. D. 1871 by his deed of trust convey to Jasper J. Peddecord and Lowber Burrows, trustees, the real estate hereinafter described, which deed of trust is recorded in the Recorder's office of said Piatt county, in book No. 3, at page 21, and was made to secure payment of one certain promissory note of said Conrod, of even date with said deed of trust, payable to the order of Asahel P. Griswold, five years after the date thereof, together with the interest thereon, at ten per cent. per annum, interest payable semi-annually; upon which note and trust deed will be due, on the 9th day of April, A. D 1878, the sum of $2741.66.

And whereas, it is provided in said deed of trust that, if default be made in the payment of the principal sum when due, or in payment of any installment of interest when due, upon application of the legal holder of said note, said trustees may proceed and sell said real estate to the highest bidder for cash, at public auction, at the front door of the court house in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois—having first given notice of such sale in some public newspaper published in said city of Decatur, thirty days prior to the day of sale, and execute and deliver to the purchaser a deed to the premises sold,

And whereas, said note remains wholly unpaid, together with interest thereon, from the 1st day of May, A. D 1877; and whereas, said note was duly assigned by said Griswold to one John Carter Brown, (now deceased), and the trustees under the will of said Brown, the present legal holders of said note, having made application to the undersigned to sell said premises under the provisions of said deed of trust. Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that on

Tuesday, the 9th day of April, A. D. 1878,

at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. of said day, at the front door of the court house in said city of Decatur, the undersigned will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Piatt and state of Illinois, to-wit: The west half of the northeast quarter and the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of sec. No. twelve, township eighteen north, range four east of the third principal meridian, also the west half of the west half of the east half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-nine, in township eighteen north, and range five east of the 3rd principal meridian, containing in all ... acres, according to government survey, together with all right, interest and equity of redemption of said John H. Conrod therein, to pay said note and interest and the costs of sale according to the terms of said trust deed.
JASPER J. PEDDECORD and LOWBER BURROWS, Trustees.
March 9, 1878 dtd

FRESH MEATS!

F. M. Carver

WOULD respectfully inform the citizens of Decatur that he has bought the meat market formerly owned by Kreher & Strausbaugh, on *North Water street*, north of the Wabash Railroad, first door north of Boeme's grocery, where he will always have on hand a full line of

Fresh Meats, Sausage, Pudding, Etc.

at as low prices as can be had in the city of Decatur. He kills none but first-class stock and keeps none but the best meats.
Dec 12 dtf

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, } ss

In the Circuit Court of Macon county, May Term, A. D. 1878.

Burton B. Tobias vs. Elizabeth Read, John N. Read and Sarah A. Read, his wife, Susan C. Thomas, Emma F. Roy and William K. Roy, her husband, James B. Read, Mary S. Askew and John O. Askew, her husband. In Chancery.

SATISFACTORY affidavit having been made and filed in the above cause, that the above named Emma F. Roy and William K. Roy, her husband, and Mary S. Askew and John O. Askew, her husband, are non-residents of the State of Illinois: Now therefore, the said Emma F. Roy and William K. Roy, her husband, and Mary S. Askew and John O. Askew, her husband, are hereby notified that the above cause is now pending and undetermined in said court, and that unless they and each of them shall appear before said court on the first day of the next term thereof, to be held at the court house in Decatur, in said county, on the second Monday of May, A. D. 1878, and plead, demur or answer to the bill of complaint filed in said cause, said bill will be taken as confessed as against them, and each of them, and a decree will be entered in said cause in pursuance of the prayer of said bill.
March 26, 1878 d4d E. McCLELLAN, Clerk

Assignee's Notice.

THE undersigned, assignee of the estate of G. M. Riddle, of Decatur, Illinois, hereby announces that he will receive bids up till noon of the 23rd day of March, A. D. 1878, for the purchase, in bulk, of the stock in trade assigned by said Riddle, consisting of boots and shoes, and such other articles as are usually found in a boot and shoe store, and also for the book accounts of said Riddle—bids to be in writing; separate bids to be made for the stock and book accounts. JOHN K. MILLER,
Decatur, March 9, 1878—dtd Assignee

TEAS.—The choicest in the world—Importers' prices. Largest Company in America—staple article—pleases everybody. Trade continually increasing. Agents wanted everywhere—best inducements—don't waste time, send for Circular to ROBERT WELLS, Pres't of the Original American Tea Co., 43 Vesey street, N. Y. P. O. Box 1287.
Feb 19 d&w3mos.

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Departure of Trains at Decatur Station

Main Line.

GOING WEST

No. 1 Through Express	3 45 a. m
" 3 Fast Line	4 45 a. m
" 5 Fast Mail	1.30 p. m

GOING EAST.

No. 2 Lightning Express	10 45 p. m
" 4 Atlantic Express	11.20 a. m
[illegible]	[illegible]
Going East.	10:00 a. m
" West	[illegible]
Going West	1 .. p. m

St. Louis Division.

[illegible]

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[illegible]

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TIME-TABLE
DECATUR AND PEORIA SHORT LINE

Night Express	Fast Day Ex. & Mail	1878. Jan. 15th	Fast Day Ex. & Mail	
Arrive.			Leave	
10.20 pm	11.15 am	Decatur	[illegible]	
8.55 "	10.28 "	Mt Pulaski	5.35?	
8.20 "	9.56 "	Lincoln	[illegible]	
7.42 "	9.37 "	Delavan		
6.45 "	8.59 "	Green Valley		
6.00 "	8.30 "	Pekin		
5.25 pm	8.00 "	Peoria	7.15	
	9.00 pm	Chicago	7.15 a	

... Chief Ticket Clerk, P. L. & D. Ry, Pekin.
January 11, 1878.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

DECATUR STATION, Feb. 10, 1878.

Until further notice, trains will leave Decatur as follows:

GOING NORTH.

Passenger,	5:50 a m
Live Stock Express	10 30 "
Accommodation	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]

GOING SOUTH.

Freight,	10:10 a m
Accommodation	10:30 "
Passenger,	6:10 p m

E. P. JEFFERY, Sup't, Chicago.
J. F. TUCKER, Gen'l ... Agent, Chicago.
C. H. ..., Agent, Decatur

TIME CARD
FOR
STREET CARS

Leave Old Square at ... 6 30, 7 00, 7 30 A. M.
And every 30 minutes up to ... 10 30 P. M.
For morning trains going North and West will leave the Square at ... 5 00 A. M.
For early morning train West will leave ... 6 30 "
Leave depot ... 6 50, 7 00, 7 30 "
And every 30 minutes until ... 11 00 P. M.

From 6 P. M. until 6 P. M. a car will leave each end of the route every 15 minutes.

Baggage conveyed to and from the depot, and ... for all trains if orders are left at Priest's Hotel in time to take cars.

Persons ... to go on night or early morning trains must be delivered at Priest's Hotel by 9 o'clock P. M., or orders left for same by that time.

F. PRIEST, Pres. H. R'y & C. Co.
May 27 ...

INDIANAPOLIS DECATUR AND SPRINGFIELD R'Y.
NEW TIME TABLE.

On and after Monday, April 1st, 1878, trains will depart from and arrive at Decatur daily, except Sunday, as follows:

MAIN LINE, GOING EAST.

Accommodation leaves at ... 6:00 a. m
Passenger and mail leaves at ... 12:30 noon

GOING WEST.

Passenger and mail at ... 11 15 a. m
Accommodation at ... [illegible]

Take this line for all points North and South on the Chicago & Paducah Railroad, Illinois Central (Chicago Branch), Paris & Danville and the R. T. H. & C. R. R., close connections being made at junction stations and through tickets on sale at the ...

GENERAL OFFICES, TUSCOLA, ILL.

H. C. MOORE, Chief Engineer and Supt.
C. V. LEWIS, Gen'l Freight and Ticket Agent.
D. H. PRICE, Train Master and Supt. Tel.
GEO. E. LANE, Ticket Agent, Decatur, Ill.

ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y.

On and after Monday, October 1st, trains will arrive and leave as follows:

[illegible]

Through Time by the
I. B. & W ROUTE.
EASTWARD.

STATIONS.	No. 2.	No. 4.	
[illegible]			
Lv Champaign	6:10 a m	1:20 p m	11:50 p m
Ar Danville	7:43 a m	3:05 p m	1:34 a m
Ar Indianapolis	11:.. a m	6:00 p m	4:30 a m
Ar Cincinnati	... p m	10:45 p m	8:55 a m
WABASH R. R.			
Lv Decatur		11:40 a m	10:45 p m
" Tolono			
Ar Danville			
" Indianapolis	11:30 a m	6:00 p m	4:30 a m
" Cincinnati			
[illegible]			
" Wheeling	5:05 a m		6:40 p m
" Washington	7:20 p m	9:07 p m	7:50 a m
" Baltimore		7:35 p m	7:45 a m
" Pittsburg		7:30 a m	7:44 p m
" Harrisburg		3:35 p m	3:50 a m
" Philadelphia	8:10 a m	7:20 p m	7:35 a m
" New York			
" Crestline			
" Cleveland			
" Buffalo			
" Boston		8:15 a m	2:.0 p m
" Louisville	7:40 p m	11:.. p m	
" Nashville		8:30 a m	7:30 p m

Train No. 6 will leave Decatur via Wabash Railway daily, and run through to Indianapolis, making all Eastern connections. All other trains daily, except Sunday.

Reclining Chair Sleeping Cars with State Rooms are run on No. 6, to Indianapolis.

GEO. B. WRIGHT, Receiver.
JOHN W. BROWN, General Passenger and Ticket Agent, Indianapolis, Ind.

For through tickets and further information address H. MORRISON, Agent.

TOLEDO, PEORIA AND WARSAW RAILWAY.

ON AND AFTER MARCH 3, 1878, trains will run as follows:

EASTWARD.

STATIONS	No. 2.	No. 4.	No. 8.
[illegible]			
" Fairbury	9 43 "		
" El Paso	10 43 "		
" Chicago			
" Watseka	11 15 "	1.08	4.00
" Sheldon	11.35 p m	1.35	4.55

*Runs daily. †Runs Daily except Sunday.

Arrangement of Through Cars.

No. 2 has Reclining Chair Car from Burlington and Peoria to Lafayette and Indianapolis, and Palace Sleeping Car from Peoria to Fort Wayne and Toledo.

No. 4 has through day coach from Burlington and Peoria to Lafayette, Ft. Wayne and Toledo. No. 8 has a Palace Sleeping Car from Peoria to Chicago.

WESTWARD.

STATIONS.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7
Lv. El Paso	*2 25 am	†1.30 pm	
" Peoria	8 50 "	2.55 "	
Ar Canton	†10.40 "	4.00 "	
" Bushnell	11.30 "	5.21 "	
" Burlington	1.50 pm	7.25 "	
" Keokuk	2.10 "	7.35 "	
" West Liberty	10.40 "	10.30 "	
" Cedar Rapids	12 25 am	12 25 am	
" [illegible]	3.07 "	3.07 "	
" [illegible]	9.28 pm	10.50 pm	
" Des Moines	2.50 am	2.50 am	
" Omaha	10.00 "	10.00 "	
" St. Joseph	8.10 "	8.10 "	
" Kansas City	9.40 "	9.40 "	

*Runs Daily †Runs Daily except Sunday.

Arrangement of Through Cars.

... trains run through entire from Indiana ... Line to the Mississippi River.

No. 3 has Reclining Chair Car from Indianapolis and Lafayette to Peoria and Burlington, and Palace Sleeping Car from Toledo and Fort Wayne to Peoria.

... coach through from Toledo and ... to Peoria and Burlington.

... Palace Sleeping Car from Chicago to Peoria.

For tickets and further information apply to GEO. M. YOUNG, Agent, El Paso, or to A. V. THOMAS, Ticket Agent, No. 102 North Adams street, Peoria.

A. L. HOPKINS, Receiver. H. C. TOWNSEND, General Ticket Agent, Peoria, Ill.

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, ss.
Macon County Circuit Court.

Enion L. Ormsby vs. George F. Wessels, Amanda J. Wessels, George Wessels and Samuel F. Greer, assignee in bankruptcy of George F. Wessels.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December term, A. D. 1877, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

Saturday, the 20th day of April, A. D. 1878,

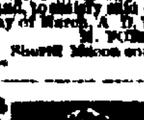
at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the court house in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, to-wit: Commencing seven hundred and thirty-one [731] links west and one hundred and sixty-five [165] feet south of the northeast corner of the southwest quarter of section fifteen [15], in township sixteen [16] north of range two [2] east of the third [illegible] ... and thirty [130] feet, thence east three hundred and fifty [350] feet to the place of beginning, [illegible] ... redemption.

JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.
Decatur, Ill., March 19th, 1878.
..., Solicitor for Complainant.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF ONE EXECUTION ON ... to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Rowland N. Hass and Josephus H. Cunningham, partners as Hass & Cunningham, and against J. M. Lowry and Maria M. Lowry, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lots nine [9] and ten [10] of the subdivision of the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section ten [10], in township sixteen [16] north, range two [2] east of the 3rd P. M., as made by the executors of the last will and testament of I. C. Pugh, deceased. Taken as property of the said J. M. Lowry and Maria M. Lowry, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court House in Decatur, in Macon county, in said State, on the 8th day of April, A. D. 1878, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 11th day of March, A. D. 1878.
M. FORSTMYER, Sheriff Macon county, Illinois.
... 13—d3w*

SWEET Chewing  NAVY Tobacco

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Redemption Notice.

To James Ryan, or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the ... day of June, A. D. 1876, for the taxes for the year 1875, I purchased the following described town lots, to-wit: Lots 1 and 4, block 3, of the Rolling Mill addition to Decatur, Illinois, taxed in the name of James Ryan; and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the ... day of June, A. D. 1878.

Feb. 18—d3w B. K. DURFEE.

HENRY EBERT,
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Breakfast Bacon, Dried Beef, Bologna and Lard, at Wholesale and Retail.

FRESH MEATS

Of all kinds on hand. We kill only first-class stock. Feb19'78d1y

Master's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, ss.
Macon County Circuit Court.

Joseph Robinson vs. John C. Millispaugh, Mary A. Millispaugh and William M. Boyd—Foreclosure.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December term, A. D. 1877, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court,

On Saturday, the 13th day of April, A. D. 1878,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the court house in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, to-wit: Lot No. twelve (12), of the south half of lot No. thirteen (13), in block No. seven (7), in the South Addition to Decatur, Illinois, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.
Decatur, Ill., March 19th, 1877.
J. S. Post, Solicitor for Complainant.
March 19 d3w

Attachment Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, COUNTY OF MACON, ss.
In the circuit court to the May Term, A. D. 1878.

William J. Chenoweth and Robert L. Walston, late co-partners under the firm name of Chenoweth & Walston, vs. Patrick Cunningham.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Patrick Cunningham, defendant in the above entitled cause, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court of said county, and state; therefore public notice is hereby given to the said Patrick Cunningham that William J. Chenoweth and Robert L. Walston, late copartners under the firm name of Chenoweth & Walston, have commenced a suit against the estate of the said Patrick Cunningham for the sum of seventy-six dollars, and that the same is now pending before the Circuit Court of said county and state at the May term, A. D. 1878.

Now unless you, the said Patrick Cunningham, shall personally be and appear before the Circuit Court of Macon county, to be held at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in said county and state, on the second Monday in May, A. D. 1878, give bail and plead within the time limited for your appearance in such cause, judgment will be entered against you, and the estate attached will be sold.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
E. S. McDONALD, Plaintiffs' Attorney.
Feb. 21, 1878—d4w

Master's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, ss.
In the Circuit Court, December Term, A. D. 1877.

John N. Gill et al. vs. Anna Gill et al.—In Partition.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of a decree rendered in the above entitled cause at the December term, A. D. 1877, of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, the undersigned will sell, on

Thursday, the 4th day of April, A. D. 1878,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, at the west entrance to the court-house stairway, in the city of Decatur, Illinois, to the highest bidder, the following described real estate, to-wit: Lots No. five (5) and six (6), in block No. eight (8) in Smith & Co.'s Addition to the city of Decatur, Illinois; also lots No. eight (8) and nine (9) and the south half of lot No. eleven (11), except one foot off of the south side of said last mentioned lot in block No. two (2), in Pratt & Tuttle's Addition to the city of Decatur—all of said above lots being in Macon county, Illinois. Also the following real estate in the county of Piatt, Illinois, to-wit: The north half of lots eleven (11) and twelve (12), in block D, in Rea's Addition to Bement.

TERMS OF SALE.—One third of purchase price cash in hand, one-third in six months from date of sale, and one-third in twelve months from date of sale; the deferred payments to bear interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum from date of sale until paid, the purchaser to give his notes with personal security and a mortgage on the premises sold to secure the deferred payments. Said sale will be absolute, and a deed made to purchaser or purchasers on approval of sale by court.

JOHN A. BROWN,
March 5—d4w Master in Chancery

DISTRESS FOR RENT.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, ss.
In the Circuit Court, May Term, A. D. 1878.

Henry Hillbright vs. Ernst Bosle—Distress for Rent.

NOTICE is hereby [illegible] Hillbright filed ... distress warrant ... the goods and chattels of said [illegible], together with an inventory of the goods ... levied upon ... 16th day ... for the sum of ... said court ... returnable at the ... 1877, thereof; ... defendant ... of said court, continued ... A. D. 1878 for service; that ... non-residence of said Ernst ... day been filed in the office of the ... court: Now, therefore, unless you, the said Ernst Bosle, shall be and appear in said court on or before the first day of the said May term thereof and plead in said cause, [illegible]

Clerk Circuit Court, Macon county.
March 21, 1878, d4w

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Charles W. Dancy and ... Joseph Austin and W. C. Davis, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: The south half of the east half of the northwest quarter of section No. twenty-seven (27), township sixteen (16) north, range one (1) east of the 3rd P. M., containing forty acres, more or less, excepting a parcel of land beginning at the southwest corner, running north forty-two (42) rods, thence ... and one ... rods, thence south to the south line, thence west twenty-six and one-half (26½) rods to the place of beginning. Taken as property of the said Joseph ... which I shall offer at public sale at the West door of the Court House in Decatur, in Macon county, in said State, on the 8th day of April, A. D. 1878, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 11th day of March, A. D. 1878.
M. FORSTMYER, Sheriff Macon county, Illinois.
March 11—d3w

WANTED.—Energetic persons to canvass for ... Lighting Gas Burner, entirely new, and attracts attention everywhere. A good chance to make money. For particulars, address S. O. TALLMADGE, Gen'l. Agent, 194 La Salle Street, Chicago, Illinois. Feb... d...

The Daily Republican.

Wonder Upon Wonder!

From the Austin (Nev.) Reveille.

An electrician of this city has invented an improvement on the telephone, which he calls the "kissograph." It works on a principle of magnetic attraction, and by its means an absent husband can kiss his own wife at a distance of a thousand miles. To make use of it for kissing another man's wife disarranges the instrument and creates a current which sets the steam whistles to blowing and the fire bells to ringing.

SOMETHING should be done to stop the manufacture and use of poisonous wall paper. Formerly suspicion fell on green wall-paper only, and there was a certain reason for this, because there is really not the slightest excuse for using arsenic in even the brilliant colors of any other shade than green. Paper-stainers, we are told, have found that it is such an unusually profitable practice that now they are not content to use arsenic in green wall-papers only, but are introducing it into even the palest white drawing room-papers, and especially into those which have an enameled ground.

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Having made arrangements with E. C. Cook & Bro., of Chicago, we are prepared to furnish and put up AWNINGS for stores, offices, hotels, private residences, etc., at very low prices. Samples of goods can be seen and prices procured at our address.

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March 15-d1m

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Or to T. PENFIELD, G. P. & T. A., Hannibal, Mo

Jan. 16 1878—dtf

SWORN EVIDENCE.

The following Cure is probably the most remarkable ever effected by any medical preparation for the treatment of Catarrh:

Gentlemen,—I hereby certify that I have had Catarrh for ten years, and for the last six years have been a terrible sufferer. I was rendered partially deaf, had buzzing in the head, pains across the temples, dizzy spells, weak and painful eyes, swollen and ulcerated tonsils, hard and constant cough, severe pain across the chest, and every indication of consumption. My head ached all the time. The matter accumulated so rapidly in my head and throat that I could not keep them free. Frequently at night I would spring out of bed, it seemed to me, at the point of suffocation. I would then have recourse to every means in my power to dislodge the mucus from my throat and head before being able to sleep again. For a period of six years my tonsils were ulcerated and so much inflamed that I could with difficulty swallow. I finally consulted an eminent surgeon in regard to an operation on them, but at his request postponed it. The constant inflammation and ulceration in my throat caused by the poisonous matter dropping down from my head had so irritated and inflamed my lungs that I coughed incessantly,—a deep, hard cough. Meanwhile my system began to show the effects of this disease, so that I lost flesh, grew pale, and showed every symptom of an early death by consumption. When matters had reached this stage, or about six months ago, I began the use of SANFORD'S RADICAL CURE FOR CATARRH. After using the first bottle I began to improve rapidly. The first dose seemed to clear my head as I had not known it to be for years. It seemed gradually to arrest the discharge. It stopped my cough in three days. By using it as a gargle soon reduced the inflammation and swelling of my tonsils, so that they soon ceased to trouble me. The soreness across my chest disappeared, the buzzing noises in my head ceased, my senses of seeing and of hearing were completely restored, and every symptom of disease that had reduced me to the verge of the grave disappeared by the use of SANFORD'S RADICAL CURE FOR CATARRH.

I have been thus explicit because, as a druggist, I have seen a great deal of suffering from Catarrh, and hope to convince many that this is a great remedy.

I am familiar with the treatment of Catarrh as practised by the best physicians, and have consulted the most eminent about my case. I have used every kind of remedy and apparatus that have appeared during a period of six years past, and have, while following their use, taken great care of my general health, but obtained no relief or encouragement from any of them.

Boston, Feb. 23 1875. GEO. F. DINSMORE.

SUFFOLK, ss. Feb. 23, 1875.
Then personally appeared the said George F. Dinsmore, and made oath that the foregoing statement by him subscribed is true. Before me,
SETH J. THOMAS, Justice of the Peace.

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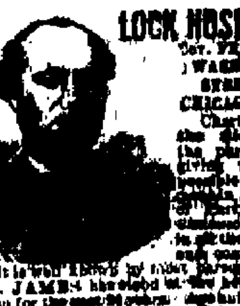

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of David Garver and against Thomas Medlow and George Nichols, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Beginning six chains and 58 links east of the center of the southeast quarter of section 21, town 17 north, range 2 east of the 3rd P. M.; thence north 31½ degrees east, 11 chains and 2 links; thence west 4 chains and ... links; thence north 31½ degrees east, 7 chains and 67 links; thence east 11 chains and 11 links, more or less, to the north and south quarter section line; thence south 17 chains and 28 links to 40 acre corner; thence west 10 chains and 45 links, more or less, to place of beginning, except 4 acres off the north side of said tract; also lot No. 5, in block No. 4, in the town of Oreana—all of the above described lands being in Macon county, Illinois. Taken as property of the said Thomas Medlow, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court-house in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 8th day of April, A. D. 1878, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 12th day of March, A. D. 1878.
M. FORSTMYER, Sheriff Macon county, Ill.
March 13—3w

SPLENDID CITY RESIDENCE FOR SALE

I offer my property, in the west part of the city, corner of College and North streets, near the Mound, for SALE at a VERY LOW PRICE, and on easy terms. The lot is 200x200 feet; the house is a well-built brick structure, with ten large and six small rooms; has three cellars, good well, and cistern; stone walks, beautiful shade trees, choice bearing fruit trees, a good frame barn, etc. In the best part of the city. I would take part trade in property in Colorado. Address W. W. LAPHAM, 814 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo. Or OVERMIER & KAUFMAN, Decatur, Ill.

March 29—d&w1m

Partnership.

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Feb. 18, 1878—d&w3mo

Trustees' Sale.

WHEREAS, Peter C. Stevenson and Anna Stevenson, his wife, of Douglas county, Illinois, did, on the 20th day of September, A. D. 1873, by their deed of trust, convey to Jasper J. Peddecord and Lowber Burrows, trustees, the real estate hereinafter described, to secure the payment, according to the tenor and effect thereof, of one promissory note of said Peter C. Stevenson, of even date therewith, payable to the order of Asahel P. Griswold, five years after the date thereof, with ten per cent. interest per annum—interest payable semi-annually on the first days of May and November in each year until the last payment of interest, which was to be made on the day of the maturity of said note, according to interest coupons thereto annexed; and also to secure the re-payment to the holder of said note of any money he had advanced in payment of taxes upon said real estate; which trust deed was duly recorded in the Recorder's office of Douglas county, Illinois, in book 10 of mortgages, page 284; upon which note and trust deed will be due, on the 8th day of April, A. D. 1878, the sum of $872.10.

And whereas, it is provided in said deed of trust that, if default be made in the payment of said note, or any installment of interest thereon when due, on application of the legal holder of said note, the said trustees shall proceed and sell said real estate at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the front door of the court-house, in the city of Decatur, county of Macon and State of Illinois having first given notice of such sale in some public newspaper published in said city of Decatur for a period of 30 days previous to the day of sale—and make, execute and deliver to the purchaser a deed to the premises sold;

And whereas, the said Asahel P. Griswold assigned said note by indorsement thereon to L. R. Scofield,

And whereas, default has been made in the payment of the last installment of interest, and also in payment of the principal sum when due; and application has been made by said L. R. Scofield, the present legal holder of said note, for the sale of said real estate under the provisions of said deed; Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that the undersigned will, on

Monday, the 8th day of April, A. D. 1878,

at one o'clock p. m. of said day, at the front door of the Court House, in said city of Decatur, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described premises, situate in the county of Douglas and State of Illinois, to-wit: The northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section No. seven (7), in township No. sixteen (16) north, and range No. eight (8) east of the third principal meridian, containing according to government survey thirty-nine and forty one-hundredth acres, with all homestead and dower rights, and all right of equity of redemption of said Peter C. Stevenson and Annie Stevenson therein to pay said note and interest and money advanced for taxes, together with the costs of this sale, as by said deed of trust is provided.

JASPER J. PEDDECORD and LOWBER BURROWS,
March 6, 1878 d1d Trustees

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of William Cantrell, assignee of A. A. Smith, B. G. Henry and J. N. Glor, executors of A. W. Smith, deceased, and against John O. Reed, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: The west half of the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section 28, town 16 north, range 2 east of the third P. M., also the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section 28, town 16 north, range 2 east of the third P. M.; also the north half of the west half of the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section 28, town 16 north, range 2 east of the third P. M. (For further reference see plat book No. 22, page 76, lots Nos. 1, 2 and 5.) Taken as property of the said John O. Reed, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court House in Decatur, in Macon county, in said State, on the 6th day of April, A. D. 1878, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

M. FORSTMYER, Sheriff Macon county, Illinois.
This 11th day of March, A. D. 1878.
March 12 d3w

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, ss.
In the county court to the April term thereof, A. D. 1878.

To James D. Gold, Philip E. Gold and Nancy Gold, alias Green:

YOU will take notice that at the April term, A. D. 1878, of the county court of Macon county, Illinois, to be holden at the court-house in Decatur, in said county, commencing on the third Monday of April next and on the third day of said term, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, I will present to said court my final report as administrator of the estate of John Gold, deceased, for adjudication and settlement, and will, then and there, make a motion for an order of said court approving said report, and to be discharged from my office of administrator.

MARTIN FORSTMYER,
Administrator of the estate of John Gold, dec'd.
March 28 w3w

MASTER'S SALE.

Maria Christen, Anne Christen, John Christen and Maria Christen, *ex parte*. In Partition.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of a decree rendered in the above entitled cause at the December term, A. D. 1877, of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, the undersigned will sell, on

Thursday, the 28th day of March, A. D. 1878,

at the hour of two o'clock of said day, at the west door of the court-house, in the city of Decatur, Illinois, to the highest bidder, the following described real estate situated in Macon county, Illinois, to-wit: Lot six (6) in block one (1), in Oglesby & Wait's addition to the city of Decatur.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-third of purchase money cash in hand, one-third in one year, and one-third in two years from date of sale, the deferred payments to bear interest at the rate of ten per cent. per annum until paid, and to be secured by the purchaser or purchasers giving notes with good personal security and a trust deed or sale mortgage on the premises sold. Said sale will be absolute, and a deed made to the purchaser on approval of sale by court.

JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.
Feb 28, 1878 d4w

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Ann Farner and against Julius Rinehart and Sophia Rinehart, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lots No. four (4) and two (2), in block No. two (2), Oglesby & Wait's Addition to the city of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois, excepting fifty feet on the south side of said lot No. two (2.) Taken as property of the said Sophia Rinehart, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court-house, in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 6th day of April, A. D. 1878, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 13th day of March, A. D. 1878.
M. FORSTMYER,
March 14—3w Sheriff Macon county, Ill.

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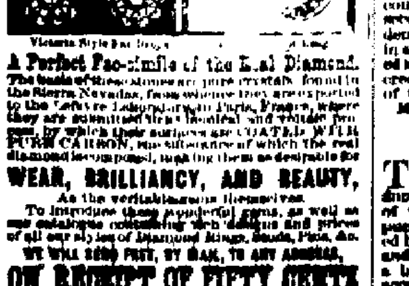

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MEN ... YEARLY CONTRACTS ... [illegible]

Trustee's Sale.

WHEREAS, James A. Brown and Margaret A. Brown, his wife, of Piatt county, Illinois, did, on the sixth day of April, A. D. 1873, by their deed of trust, convey to Jasper J. Peddecord and Lowber Burrows, trustees, the real estate hereinafter described, to secure the payment, according to the tenor and effect thereof, of one certain promissory note of said James A. Brown, of even date therewith, payable to the order of Asahel P. Griswold, five years after the date thereof, with ten per cent. interest per annum—interest payable semi-annually on the first day of May and November in each year until the last payment of interest, which was to be made on the day of maturity of said note according to interest coupons thereto attached; which trust deed was duly recorded in the Recorder's office of Piatt county, Illinois, in book No. 8 of Deeds, pages 614-616; upon which note and trust deed will be due, on the 9th day of April, A. D. 1878, the sum of $1,103.33;

And whereas, it is provided in said deed of trust that, if default be made in the payment of said note, or any installment of interest thereon when due, on application of the legal holder of said note, the said trustees shall proceed and sell said real estate at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the front door of the court-house, in the city of Decatur, county of Macon and state of Illinois having first given notice of such sale in some public newspaper published in said city of Decatur, for a period thirty days previous to the day of sale and make, execute and deliver to the purchaser a deed to the premises sold,

And whereas, the said Asahel P. Griswold assigned said note to Mrs. E. D. Gilman;

And whereas, default has been made in the payment of the principal sum when due, and request has been made by said Mrs. E. D. Gilman, the present legal holder of said note for the sale of said real estate under the provisions of said deed; Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that the undersigned will, on

Tuesday, the ninth day of April, A. D. 1878,

at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the front door of the court-house, in said city of Decatur, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described premises, situate in the county of Piatt and state of Illinois, to-wit: The east half of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section No. twenty-seven (27), in township No. nineteen (19) north, and range No. five (5) east of the 3rd principal meridian, containing twenty (20) acres, according to government survey; also commencing at the southwest corner of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section No. sixteen (16), in township No. nineteen (19) north, and range No. five (5) east of the third principal meridian; thence north, variation 6 deg. 12 min., 19 90-100 chains; thence east variation 5 deg. 25 min., 19 70-100 chains; thence south, variation 6 deg. 12 min., 11 36-100 chains, thence south 48 deg. 15 min. west 14 62-100 chains, thence west, variation 5 deg. 30 min., 7 87-100 chains to the beginning, containing 34 25-100 acres; also commencing at the northwest corner of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section No. twenty-one (21), in township No. nineteen (19) north, and range No. five (5) east of the third principal meridian; thence south, variation 6 deg. 12 min., 5 63-100 chains, thence north 48 deg. 15 min. east, 9 58-100 chains; thence west 5 deg. 25 min., 7 62-100 chains to the beginning, containing 2 25-100 acres, with all homestead and dower rights, and all right of equity of redemption of said James A. Brown and Margaret A. Brown therein, to pay said note and interest, together with the costs of this sale, as by said deed of trust is provided.

JASPER J. PEDDECORD and LOWBER BURROWS,
March 8, 1878 d1d Trustees

Trustee's Sale.

WHEREAS, John H. Conrod, of Piatt county, Illinois, did, on the twenty-sixth day of July, A. D. 1871 by his deed of trust convey to Jasper J. Peddecord and Lowber Burrows, trustees, the real estate hereinafter described, which deed of trust is recorded in the Recorder's office of said Piatt county, in book No. 3, at page 21, and was made to secure payment of one certain promissory note of said Conrod, of even date with said deed of trust payable to the order of Asahel P. Griswold, five years after the date thereof, together with the interest thereon, at ten per cent per annum, interest payable semi-annually; upon which note and trust deed will be due, on the 9th day of April, A. D. 1878, the sum of $2741.66.

And whereas, it is provided in said deed of trust that, if default be made in the payment of the principal sum when due, or in payment of any installment of interest when due, upon application of the legal holder of said note, said trustees may proceed and sell said real estate to the highest bidder for cash, at public auction, at the front door of the court house in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois—having first given notice of such sale in some public newspaper published in said city of Decatur, thirty days prior to the day of sale, and execute and deliver to the purchaser a deed to the premises sold;

And whereas said note remains wholly unpaid, together with interest thereon, from the 1st day of May, A. D. 1877; and whereas, said note was duly assigned by said Griswold to one John Carter Brown, (now deceased), and the trustees under the will of said Brown, the present legal holders of said notes, having made application to the undersigned to sell said premises under the provisions of said deed of trust. Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that on

Tuesday, the 9th day of April, A. D. 1878,

at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. of said day, at the front door of the court house in said city of Decatur, the undersigned will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Piatt and state of Illinois, to-wit: The west half of the northeast quarter and the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of sec. No. twelve, township eighteen north, range four east of the third principal meridian, also the west half of the west half of the east half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-one, in township eighteen north, and range five east of the 3rd principal meridian, containing in all ... acres, according to government survey, together with all right, interest and equity of redemption of said John H. Conrod therein, to pay said note and interest and the costs of sale according to the terms of said trust deed.

JASPER J. PEDDECORD and LOWBER BURROWS, Trustees.
March 9, 1878 d1d

FRESH MEATS!
F. M. Garver

WOULD respectfully inform the citizens of Decatur that he has bought the meat market formerly owned by Kreher & Strausbaugh, on North Water street, north of the Wabash Railroad, first door north of Beeme's Grocery, where he will always have on hand a full line of

Fresh Meats, Sausage, Pudding, Etc.

at as low prices as can be had in the city of Decatur. He kills none but first-class stock and keeps none but the best meats.

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, ss.
In the Circuit Court of Macon county, May Term, A. D. 1878.

Burton H. Tubbs vs. Elizabeth Read, John N. Read and Sarah A. Read, his wife, Susan C. Thomas, Emma F. Roy and William K. Roy, her husband, James E. Read, Mary S. Askew and John O. Askew, her husband—In Chancery.

SATISFACTORY affidavit having been made and filed in the above cause, that the above named Emma F. Roy and William K. Roy, her husband, and Mary S. Askew and John O. Askew, her husband, are non-residents of the State of Illinois: Now, therefore, the said Emma F. Roy and William K. Roy, her husband, and Mary S. Askew and John O. Askew, her husband, are hereby notified that the above cause is now pending and undetermined in said court, and that unless they and each of them shall appear before said court on the first day of the next term thereof, to be held at the court house in Decatur, in said county, on the second Monday of May, A. D. 1878, and plead, demur or answer to the bill of complaint filed in said cause, said bill will be taken as confessed as against them, and each of them, and a decree will be entered in said cause in pursuance of the prayer of said bill.

March 15, 1878 d4d E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

Assignee's Notice.

THE undersigned, assignee of the estate of G. M. Riddle, of Decatur, Illinois, hereby announces that he will receive bids up till noon of the 23rd day of March, A. D. 1878, for the purchase, in bulk, of the stock in trade assigned by said Riddle, consisting of boots and shoes, and such other articles as are usually found in a boot and shoe store, and also for the book accounts of said Riddle—bids to be in writing; separate bids to be made for the stock and book accounts.

JOHN R. MILLER,
Decatur, March 8, 1878—d1d Assignee

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